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# 150,000 MILES IS HIS RECORD

O. G. NULL, PICKERING, A MAIL CARIER 21 YEARS YESTERDAY.

## HE MISSES FEW DAYS

Fifty Deaths, Twice as Many Births, on Route; Three-Fourths of Farms Change Ownership.

One hundred fifty thousand miles, traveled over a mail route out of Pickering, is the record of O. G. Null, who finished yesterday his twenty-first year as a rural letter carrier on Route 1, Pickering.

In that twenty-one years, Mr. Null believes he has not lost more than one or two days from his work, due to illness or other cause, except for the regular vacation periods allowed by the government.

This carrier, although he looks more like a man of 40, will be 60 years old next May—he was born in the Myrtle Tree neighborhood on May 23, 1868.

In his twenty-one years' service, Mr. Null, who is the Democrat-Forum and Tribune's Pickering correspondent, probably has known more than any other man of the griefs and joys of the people of Pickering and vicinity, and he has come especially near to the families along Route 1.

**Only 19 Couples Left.**

Of the 100 families who lived on the route when Mr. Null began his work, only nineteen couples are there now, but there are twenty-five other families in which either the husband or wife, or both, were children in the original families.

The carrier has borne away from the route the sad news of more than fifty deaths, four of which were suicides. On the other hand he has helped to spread the glad announcement of births which have outnumbered deaths more than two to one. More than 150 weddings have taken place in the families of the patrons. And testifying to the quality of these marriages, Mr. Null said that as far as he knew, there had been only three divorces.

Of the 100 original farms, 75 per cent have changed ownership at least once since Mr. Null has been bringing them mail. One farm, he said, has changed hands six or seven times.

Twenty-five houses on the route have been built entirely new, and approximately twenty-five more have been remodeled or enlarged so that they now are quite different than they were twenty-one years ago.

The farm population in this period has decreased by 100 or more, Mr. Null believes, as families now are much smaller.

**Pensions Dwindle.**

When he began service, there were ten Civil War pensioners on the route; now there is only one. To take the places of some of the others, there are three World War veterans receiving government compensation.

The only change in the route itself in twenty-one years has been the elimination of a spur and re-trace of one-fourth of a mile, now apart of Route 3, Maryville. The route as now traveled is 25⅛ miles long. The schedule originally called for the carrier to complete it in seven hours. With the advent of good roads and the motor car, Mr. Null completes it usually in two or two and one-half hours. Office work, however, has become heavier and an hour or more is required to sort the mail before starting. Then there still are days when there is a battle with mud and it may take as much as ten hours to get around.

The veteran carrier has sold more than 5,000 money orders.

"There are not so many money orders sold on the route now as a few years ago," he said. "Possibly it is because personal checks are accepted now by mail order houses. Money orders I have sold range from 15 cents to $100."

**Burden Is Heavier.**

Parcel post and daily newspapers have made the carrier's task much heavier, and he handles more than twice as much matter as he did twenty-one years ago, Mr. Null said.

"My monthly stamp sale will average $10 or more," he added. "Postage on mail collected on the route is a little more than the stamp sales usually, as some stamps are purchased at the post office.

"The mail collected largely is first class. The first class mail delivered is more than the amount collected and will average around 700 to 800 pieces

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## Hearing of Bank Suits Is Re-Set for Tuesday

Suit to Enjoin Collection of Taxes Continued Because of Trial in Circuit Court Today.

The hearing of the demurrer filed in the cases of the banks of Nodaway County against the township collectors, seeking to enjoin them from collecting the full 1927 taxes as levied against bank stock, has been reset for next Tuesday in circuit court.

The hearing had been continued to today's docket, but because of a jury trial, a resetting was necessary.

L. Cunningham, assistant attorney general, Jefferson City, was here today to assist George P. Wright, prosecuting attorney, in defending the collectors, county court, county clerk, equalization board and the state, in the matter.

# JANUARY MILD AND VERY DRY

TEMPERATURE 7.6 DEGREES WARMER THAN TERM MEAN.

## .05 INCH PRECIPITATION

Thermometer Varies Between 10 Below and 61 Above.—Only a Trace of Snow.

January was a month of unusually mild temperatures and much less precipitation than the normal, according to the records of J. R. Brink, official weather observer for Maryville.

The temperature ranged from 10 below on January 1 to 61 degrees on the 14th, with the mean temperature for the month 30 degrees. This was 7.6 degrees warmer than the mean term temperature of 22.4 degrees. The mean minimum temperature for the month was 19.9 degrees and the mean maximum 40.2.

The month did not set a record, however, as mean, while in 1912 the January mean was 14.2 less than the term mean. These are the maximum variations in each direction as shown by Mr. Brink's records.

Nor did the high temperature of 61 on the 14th establish or equal a record for the month, as the records show a temperature of 66 degrees on January 20 in 1895. The lowest January temperature on record was 28 below zero on January 12, 1912.

There was only a trace of snow in the month just past. The greatest amount of snow on record in a January was 16 inches in 1915, while the least is a trace, recorded once before in 1900.

Combined precipitation, both rain and snow, amounted only to .05 inch last month, which equaled the record set in 1908. The normal is 1.08 inches, and the greatest on record was 3.2 inches in 1914.

There were seventeen clear days, nine cloudy and five partly cloudy, Mr. Brink said.

The minimum temperature this morning was 11.

## Pneumonia Takes Ursel Jean Joiner

Funeral Services for Infant at Home Tomorrow—Burial in Sweet Home Cemetery.

Ursel Jean Joiner, year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Joiner, two miles northeast of Ravenwood, died at 10:15 o'clock this morning of pneumonia. The child had been critically ill for two weeks. Funeral services will be held at the home tomorrow afternoon and burial will be made in Sweet Home cemetery. She was an only child.

## Five Educators to Columbia Meeting

Lamkin, Hawkins, Phillips, Ziegler and Dieterich Drive Today.—Somerville Already There.

Five Maryville educators left late this morning for Columbia where they will attend a school administrators meeting. Those who went were Uel W. Lamkin, C. A. Hawkins, Homer T. Phillips, L. E. Ziegler and Herbert R. Dieterich. The trip was made in the Lamkin car.

Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, left for Columbia Monday evening to attend a county superintendents meeting in advance of the other meeting.

J. D. Baker, division passenger agent for the Burlington railroad with headquarters at St. Joseph, visited W. E. Goforth, local Burlington agent here yesterday.

# NOTE FORGED, ENGLES CLAIM

DEFENSE COUNTERS IN SAVANNAH SUIT ON TRIAL HERE.

## WIN LEGAL SKIRMISH

Allowed to Introduce Evidence of F. O. Wilson—Elvis Nelson Trial Is Reset.

The defense won a victory in the afternoon session of circuit court today when the court overruled objections of the plaintiff to the introduction of evidence by F. O. Wilson, relative to charges of conspiracy and fraud in the transfer and endorsement of a note for $6,000, which the First Trust Company and Mrs. S. R. Seleeman of Savannah are suing to collect from Milton Engle, administrator of the Jesse Engle and Sons co-partnership estate.

The objection was raised when Nelson, first defense witness, was called to the stand. He followed Fred Meinershagen, deputy finance commissioner of the defunct First Trust Company of Savannah, for the plaintiffs. Mr. Meinershagen concluded the plaintiff's evidence, when he introduced the books of the Trust Company showing the transactions between Mrs. Seleeman and the institution.

Mr. Wilson, a former Nodaway County resident living west of Sheridan, and now living in Page County, Iowa, testified that he was owner of the $6,000 note, and several other Engle notes in sums of $10,000, $4,200, and $1,500.

When the plaintiff's objection to the evidence was raised and the jury excused, Bruce DuBois, defense attorney said the defense in the case could be along two lines, first that the note now claimed by the plaintiff and which had been executed by the Engel partnership to Wilson, never was endorsed by Wilson and the endorsement a forgery, or should the evidence prove the endorsement not a fraud, the note was stolen from Wilson. The court ruled that the evidence was not of such a conflicting nature as to preclude it.

The case, brought here on a change of venue of Worth county, the home of the Engles who have been prominent breeders of purebred livestock, probably will take the greater part of tomorrow's session.

W. A. Boyer, president of the Trust Company, and a number of other Savannah people are in attendance at the trial.

The criminal case of the State against Elvis Nelson, on a charge of burglary and larceny, has been reset for Monday. This case was sent here on a change of venue from Gentry County.

The back tax suit of Nodaway Drainage district No. 2 against Bolten Neff was settled and dismissed.

The case of the state against W. L. Carpenter, grand larceny, brought to Nodaway County on a change of venue from Atchison county, was continued by agreement.

## Sub S-3 Expected to Reach Cuba Tonight

Message States Boat Was Picked Up by Others of Its Convoy—Details Not Known.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The submarine S-3 is expected to reach Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, by nightfall.

Not until then will the world learn the complete story of her "loss" and finding again. A Laconic message to the navy department from Admiral Brumby, commander of the force, said she had been picked up by other submarines, but failed to give details.

A radio message received direct from the S-3 at 9:30 o'clock last night was the first word received from the S-3 and navy officers felt confirmed in their earlier belief that temporary trouble with its radio set had caused the craft to lose contact with other vessels of its convoy Saturday night.

## Rickard Announces Dempsey Won't Fight

Miami, Fla., Feb. 1.—Jack Dempsey will not compete again for the heavyweight championship, Tex Rickard announced here today.

Rickard refused to elaborate on the statement but said "Dempsey has told me he thinks it advisable not to engage in further ring contests."

He did not indicate the opponent but said Gene Tunney positively would fight in June, Rickard said.

A tempting offer to stage the fight in London has been received, he said.

## 148 STATE AND 39 CITY TAGS BOUGHT TODAY

Cecil Wilson and George Meek Purchases First 1928 Licenses—Behind Last Year.

The 1928 state licenses for passenger cars and trucks went on sale at 8 o'clock this morning at the Maryville Chamber of Commerce. Within an hour from the time the door was opened fifty-four licenses had been sold and at 3 o'clock this afternoon 148 tags were sold. The City Hall reported the sale of 39 city tags at 2:30 p. m. today. The sale for the first day last year reached 241 tags amounting to $2776.50. Miss Catherine Tobin, acting secretary believes the sale for the first day this year will exceed last year.

The first 1928 license was sold to Cecil Wilson of Maryville. His number is 175-001. The second license plate was sold to Miss Louise Koeppel, of Maryville.

George Meek purchased the first city license today for his Ford touring car of many seasons.

# A SHAKE-UP IN DRY DISTRICTS

MISSOURI AND ARKANSAS ARE CLASSED TOGETHER.

## WORKERS ARE SHIFTED

S. S. Haley Heads Enforcement in State; Dismissal of Several Administrators Likely.

Washington, Feb. 1.—A general shake-up in the Government's field prohibition forces proceeded in the Middle West and South today as orders from Assistant Secretary of Treasury Lowman to re-divided seven dry districts went into effect.

Agents and investigators were being transferred from one territory to another; several administrators' territories weer enlarged or reduced; and other officials did not know just how long they were to remain in the service.

Indiana and Ohio were grouped as district No. 12 under W. Walker, acting administrator, with headquarters at Columbus, Ohio. Indiana previously had been grouped with Illinois and eastern Wisconsin, while Ohio was a separate district.

Kansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska were designated as District No. 15 under George H. Wark, permanent administrator with headquarters at Topeka, Kansas.

Iowa, Illinois and Eastern Wisconsin—district No. 13—were placed under acting administrator E. C. Yellowly at Chicago. Iowa heretofore was grouped with South Dakota and Nebraska.

Missouri and Arkansas were designed as District 16, under S. S. Haley as acting administrator, with headquarters at St. Louis. Missouri was formerly grouped with Kansas, while Arkansas was under the New Orleans administrator.

Prohibition Commissioner Doran, who announced the changes, said all administratrs, with the exception of Wark, were acting until permanent appointments were made under civil service.

He indicated several administrators would be dismissed and that there would be a large number of changes of assistants and deputies.

The changes today, he said, were made so states with similar problems would be grouped together.

## Elmer Fraser Sells Farm of 300 Acres

Elmer Fraser has sold his 300-acre farm three miles east of Maryville to William Everhart for $37,000.

Mr. Everhart expects to build a residence and otherwise improve the farm and make it his home.

The sale was made by A. J. Cox.

## Two Monroe County Banks Are Merged

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 1.—The State Finance department today announced the purchase of the Florida Savings Bank of Florida, Monroe county, by the Paris National Bank of Paris. The Florida Savings Bank was chartered in 1890 and had total resources of $62,714.

**Goes for Examination.**

Mrs. Will Watson, Elmo, went to Omaha, Neb., today where she will enter a hospital for examination.

# SHOALS BILL IS REPORTED

NORRIS PROPOSAL TO SENATE FROM COMMITTEE.

## A "LAME DUCK" FIGHT

Democrats Object to Features in Bill Changing Congress' Terms.—Power Probe to Senate.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The Senate agriculture committee reported favorably today the Norris resolution for government operation of the Muscle Shoals power project in Alabama.

The vote reporting the Norris bill was 11 to 4.

An amendment to his Muscle Shoals bill, offering to lease nitrate plant No. 2 either to the American Cynamid Company or the American Farm Bureaus Federation, was introduced this afternoon by Senator Norris.

Norris charged the Cyanamid company with attempting to exploit the power possibilities of Muscle Shoals using a promise to manufacture cheap fertilizer to conceal its real motive.

The amendment provides that the lessee of the nitrate plant shall not make more than 8 per cent profit.

**Fight "Lame Duck" Bill.**

Washington, Feb. 1.—Fight by House Democrats on the Norris "lame duck" constitutional amendment as reported by the House committee was foreseen today.

Representative Garrett, Tennessee, Democratic floor leader, objects to the provision inserted by the committee which would fix May 4 for the ending of Congress. This, he said, would leave the way open for filibustering to block last minute legislation.

The Norris resolution would fix no date. It eliminates the short or "lame duck" session now ending on March 4 automatically, and provides for opening of Congress and inauguration of the president in January, two months after election.

The House will take up the resolution within two weeks, Representative Gifford, Republican, Massachusetts, announced.

**Shipping Bill to House.**

Washington, Feb. 1.—The Jones shipping bill, passed by the Senate with the features opposed by President Coolidge, went to the House today for action.

It provides for continued government operation of the merchant marine, authorizes appropriations for repair and replacement of government owned vessels and stipulates that none can be sold to private operators without unanimous consent of the shipping board.

The measure is expected to meet more vigorous opposition in the House where administration Republicans are strongly entrenched than in the Senate, where it was passed by a vote of 53 to 31.

**May Drop Short Haul Fight.**

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator Gooding, Republican, Idaho, may not press for action on his bill prohibiting railroads from charging proportionately higher rates for short than for long hauls, he told the United Press today.

"Several railroads have voluntarily consented to change their rate schedules to eliminate discrimination against short haul shippers," Gooding said, "and if the others take similar action, I shall not press the bill."

**Walsh Resolution Reported.**

Washington, Feb. 1.—The Walsh resolution for investigation of the power industry was reported favorably today by the Senate interstate commerce committee with amendments intended to limit its scope to interstate commerce only.

An effort to add an amendment providing that the investigation be conducted by the federal trade commission, rather than a senatorial committee, failed.

Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, said a minority report would be presented.

**LaFollette to Call Up Resolution**

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator LaFollette served notice on the Senate today that his resolution to prevent a third term for presidents will be called up tomorrow.

**Find Grief Stricken Widower's Body.**

Clarendon, Va., Feb. 1.—A three weeks' search for Albert K. Mason, grief-stricken widower, ended last night when the sled of four boy coasters ran against his body, buried in snow, behind a church here. He had slashed his wrists with a razor.

## Oppose Modification of Volstead Act

Revision Merely Would Start Attempt to Repeal Dry Amendment, Says Mrs. Ruth McCormick.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Modification of the Volstead act would merely start an attempt to repeal the Eighteenth amendment, Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick told a national W. C. T. U. political conference here today.

"The question is whether we believe in prohibition or wheather we wish to repeal it," she said. "All other argument are mere subterfuge and compromise. Those of us who believe in temperance must stand by enforcement of the law and continue to demand sufficient money of Congress to make enforcemet possible."

Captain John G. Wallace, of the prohibition department, told the delegates Chicago had been "dried up" by administrator E. C. Yellowley. He said working people had been greatly benefitted by prohibition.

# TO MAKE U. S. PAY FOR COST

ALL FLOOD CONTROL BURDEN ON GOVERNMENT, IS BELIEF.

## DEMOCRATS LINE UP

Measure Will Go Beyond Army Engineers' Plan, It Is Indicated in House Committee.

By THOMAS L. STOKES.
United Press Staff Correspondent

Washington, Feb. 1. — Passage by Congress of a bill providing for federal payment of all flood control costs and for spillway rights of way was predicted today as Democrats lined up behind this policy.

It also was evident the measure will go beyond the engineering features submitted by the army engineers and will embody some additional proposals of the Mississippi River Commission. The House flood control committee is drafting a bill along these lines entailing an expenditure of approximately $600,000,000.

**Democrats Sound War Cry.**

The Democratic war cry against the administration's financial proposals was sounded by Representative Garrett, Tennessee, minority floor leader, who said the federal government must pay for rights of way necessary for spillways and floodways. The House flood control committee takes a similar position and its judgment will carry wide influence with the committee.

This point will be contested sharply by some administration Republicans. It has been indicated in preliminary discussion on the floor.

"My opinion," Garrett said, "is that if we adopt the theory that this is a national problem, that theory will apply to rights of way necessary to carry it out.

**Should Compensate State.**

"The national government has built the flood control works that have damaged us in the past. The national government will put up the money to build works which will damage us in the future. The national government should compensate the state for the damage it inflicts."

Whatever measure is passed this session will be of an emergency nature, to protect the lower Mississippi, stricken so heavily by last spring's flood. The measure will provide for a survey as to a comprehensive, permanent plan for the whole system.

Senate and House committees expect to conclude hearings this week. Chairman Reid, Illinois, of the House committee, says the committee will require about two weeks to draft a bill.

Major General Edgar Jadwin, chief of army engineers, defended his flood control plan in a radio speech last night.

## 45 Catholic Rebels Killed in Mexico

Three-Hour Battle Fought With Federal Soldiers Near Votija; Priest Reported Killed.

Mexico City, Feb. 1.—Forty-five Catholic rebels were killed in a three-hour battle with federal soldiers near Votija, a Guadalahjara dispatch said today.

Father Crescencio Esparza, a priest said to be co-leader of the rebels, was reported killed. Luis Guizar Morfin, the other reported leader, was said to have been wounded.

Father Esparza's body, the dispatch said, was given by the authorities to the people of Cotija at their request.

# MAY OFFER CONFESSION

HICKMAN'S STORY OF KILLING PROBABLE DEFENSE EVIDENCE.

## MOTHER TO TESTIFY

Expected to Take Stand Today on Son's 20th Birthday.—Other Murder Trial Feb. 15.

**A Victim's Widow Heard.**

Court Room, Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—A druggist's anguished widow cried out in protest here today against the efforts of Attorney Jerome Walsh to save William Edward Hickman from the gallows.

As the youthful attorney was about to leave the court room where Hickman obtained a postponement of his trial for the murder of C. Ivy Thoms, the slain druggist's widow, turned upon Walsh and gasped:

"Oh, how I hate you!"

Walsh, taken aback by Mrs. Thoms' speech and her staring eyes, turned away.

"I am sorry, Madame," he mumbled and hurried to the door.

Court Room, Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—William Edward Hickman's own story of the butchery of little Marion Parker may be introduced by his attorneys as evidence in their fight in superior court here to save his life, it was indicated today.

Jerome Walsh, chief defense attorney, went over the document before the opening of today's session and was understood practically to have reached a decision to use it as a part of the defense evidence.

This proceedure, said to be one of the most unusual ever attempted in a murder trial, was considered in the belief that the confession would help prove Hickman's plea of insanity.

Only an insane and distorted mind would have been capable of perpetrating a crime like that committed by Hickman in murdering the little girl and dismembering her body, the defense attorneys were said to believe.

**Effort To Prove Insanity.**

The confession was expected to be introduced after the father, brother and mother have taken the stand in an effort to substantiate the insanity defense.

The morning session was taken up with the monotonous reading of depositions from former acquaintances of Hickman in Kansas, Arkansas and Missouri.

Twenty years from the day she gave birth to a son destined to commit one of the most brutal murders in the history of the West, Mrs. Eva Hickman was scheduled late today to take the witness stand in an effort to save the son from hanging.

Hickman, once brilliant high school student and orator whom the state claims turned killer to appease his wounded ego, celebrated the twentieth anniversary of his birth by appearing today in two separate murder cases.

The Parker trial was delayed some fifteen minutes today to permit Hickman and his counsel to appear before Judge Carlos Hardy, before whom he was to have gone to trial on another murder charge today with his former bandit pal, Welby Hunt.

Hickman and Hunt are jointly indicted on a murder charge for the slaying of Ivy Thoms, a druggist, during a holdup on Christmas eve of 1926.

**Date for Other Trial Set.**

"The Fox" and his 16-year-old accomplice stood unsmiling as Hickman's attorney made a formal motion to have the trial postponed until the conclusion of the Parker case.

Judge Hardy granted the request and set the date of trial for February 15.

Should the state meet a serious reverse in its trial for the killing of the little school girl, it could then press the charges for the Thoms murder.

Hickman and Hunt both confessed they held up Thoms and that he was shot during the holdup. Neither, however, would admit firing the fatal bullet.

The reading of depositions was hastened today as Judge J. J. Trabucco overruled frequent objections by the defense to portions of the cross examination in the depositions.

## Weather

Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer Thursday; minimum tonight 26 to 28.

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## Miss Mary Parrish of Skidmore Dies

Miss Mary Parrish of Skidmore, died at the St. Francis hospital this afternoon. She was 52 years old. She had been an invalid for a year. She is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parrish of Skidmore.

She is survived by these brothers and sisters: Mrs. Lydia Manchester, Mrs. Grace Lyle, James Parrish, Skidmore; Mrs. Bell Deffenbaugh, Kansas City; and Mrs. Fred Gill, Arvada, Wyo.

No funeral arrangements had been made this afternoon.

## Jennings, Celebrated Baseball Player, Dies

Scranton, Pa., Feb. 1.—Hugh Jennings, one of baseball's most colorful figures, died early today of an illness which forced him out of the national pastime in 1925. He was 56 years old.

The real popularity of Jennings, known fondly as Hughey, dates back to his management of the Detroit Tigers when he shared with Ty Cobb in the success of the old Tigers.

In 1921 Jennings went to the New York Giants as assistant to John McGraw and remained until 1925.

## Wage Increase for Engineers, Firemen

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Federal Judge George A. Carpenter today approved the 30 to 35 cent a day wage increase granted enginemen and firemen of western roads by a federal mediation board.

Carpenter dismissed protests of the railroads and signed the award.

About 45,000 employes of fifty-four roads will receive wage increases. The total increase involved is estimated at $4,000,000 a year.

## Predicts Ground Hog Will "Spot" Shadow

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—Six more weeks of winter weather are in store for Missourians if the ground hog "spots" his shadow when he comes out of his winter headquarters tomorrow.

P. Connor, official weather observer, predicted today that tomorrow would be "clear." Temperatures will start at about 20 degrees and rise to around 30 in the afternoon, Connor said.

## A French-American Anti-War Pact Soon

Paris, Feb. 1.—A French-American anti-war treaty will be signed at Washington not later than February 6, a high French source told the United Press today after a conference between United States Ambassador Myron T. Herrick and Foreign Minister Artistide Briand.

All details of the treaty had been settled, the informant said.

## Says Farm Distress Is Making Democrats

Middle West Disappointed by Decision Not to Revise Tariff, South Dakotan Declares.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Depressed agriculture in the west "is making lots of people think of the Democratic Party," the House agriculture committee was told today by Charles S. Weller of Mitchell, South Dakota, Republican chairman of the state legislature's agricultural committee.

Weller said people in the middle west were disappointed over failure of their representatives to vote for the McMaster resolution urging tariff revision.

He said farm bloc members, including representative Dickenson, Republican, Iowa, their leader, threw away their only chance in seven years to open the tariff question when they voted against consideration of the McMaster resolution.

## Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"My physiology teacher says the windpipe ain't connected with the stomach, but I bet she'd find out if she ever tried to smoke."

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## State Banks Have Shown Improvement

Total Resources Gained $11,485,011 in Four Months.—Surplus and Deposits Increase.

Jefferson City, Feb. 1.—Although there were twenty-four fewer state banks and trust companies in Missouri at the start of this year than there were in August, 1927, bank conditions showed a marked improvement, the total resources of the institutions increasing $11,485,011. This was shown Monday by an abstract of state banks showing conditions as of Dec. 31,1927, as compared with August 25, 1927, announced by S. L. Cantley, state finance commissioner.

At the beginning of 1928 there were only 1,280 state banks and trust companies, compared with 1,304 on Aug 25, last.

Total resources Dec. 31, last, were $953,276,697, while on Aug. 25, last, they were $941,791,686.

Surplus of the banks increased $132,619 during the four-month period. The total on August 25 was $45,537,674, compared with $45,670,293 on Dec. 31.

Capital stock on Dec. 31 was $76,669,964, while last August it was $77,189,359.

Deposits at the start of this year totaled $770,609,492, while on Aug. 25 they amounted to $754,777,560, an increase of $25,827,932. The deposits on Dec. 31 included $492,136,378 demand and $278,473,114 time deposits, while on Aug. 25 emand deposits amounted to $469,979,445, and time deposits totaled $284,792,115.

## 150,000 Miles Is His Record

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a month."

The greatest change noted by Mr. Null is in the roads, which have seen a great improvement.

"The increased use of automobiles by the farmers," he explained, "demanded better roads. Power machinery was used in grading and a thorough job was done. Systematic maintenance has followed, making present conditions possible.

"When I went on the route, there was not a concrete or steel culvert; now practically all the smaller culverts and some of the county bridges are either steel or concrete. This was made possible largely through bond issues by Union and Polk township. Union was the first township in the county to vote bonds. The money formerly spent repairing wooden culvetts each year now is spent for maintenance of road."

Two large bridges, he added, one of 72-foot span and the other 66 feet, have been replaced by steel tubes.

**A Car Since 1917.**

Mr. Null has been using a motor car exclusively on his route since 1917. When the roads are too bad to permit of using it, he hires a team.

"Half my patrons," he said, "owned cars before I began using one on the route. Now there are about eighty cars and half a dozen trucks owned by my patrons."

It is possible for a rural carrier to do many favors for patrons, the Pickering man pointed out. He remembered a colt which he found on its back in a ditch, with its feet tangled in a wire fence, and which he released with a pair of pliers. He saw another colt in a ditch one Saturday but thought it could get out. When it was still there Monday, he notified the owner.

Frequently he sees stock in a cornfield and tells the owners. Once he released a bull which had a ring in its nose, caught to the lower strand of a wire fence. Once he met a runaway boy, 2 years old, and lured him home with a penny.

Mr. Null has served under five postmasters. He began with C. G. McMillen, who was succeeded fourteen months later by C. R. Harman, who served four years. C. A. McArthur served one year, and then was succeeded by Theron Wray, who held the office fourteen years. Mrs. Agnes Lantz has been postmaster since last June.

**Fellow Carrier 20 Years.**

Pickering has only two routes and they have had only four carriers since they were established. Floyd Alexander, on Route 2, has been serving it since September, 1908. Both routes were laid out in September 1903. The first was served until February 1, 1907, by W. O. Awalt, now of St. Joseph, and the second by J. E. Williams until September, 1908.

Mr. Null farmed in the Myrtle Tree vicinity until he moved to Pickering twenty-five years ago. He had traded for a mercantile business there, but did not find it either profitable or to his liking, so he traded again and for two years operated a brickyard with C. A. Clayton. Then he entered the government service.

He has been active in the Rural Letter Carriers' Association, and has been secretary-treasurer for the fourth congressional district association for ten years. For the last four years he has been assistant to the state secretary, by appointment. He has attended several state conventions and once was a delegate to a national convention.

"But please cut out the personal stuff," Mr. Null said when he was being interviewed, "and stress the fact that I have the finest lot of patrons to be found anywhere, and that they have shown me many favors during these years.

**Wishes He Had Diary.**

"I regret that I have not kept a diary during my service on the route," he added, "for if I had done so, I would now have material enough for half a dozen novels, each as fascinating as 'West of the Water Tower'."

Mr. Null's mother, Mrs. George Null, lives in Maryville at 203 West Cooper street.

Mr. and Mrs. Null have four children, Howard Null, four miles northwest of Pickering; Mrs. Lester Ellis, St. Joseph; Mrs. S. E. Jones, two and one-half miles north of Pickering; and Mrs. James Buchanan, Falls City, Neb.

## Jim Carpenter Makes Ice Sail That Works

Carries Him Across Large Reservoir and Back.—Others Try It Out.

James Carpenter, Maryville photographer, has completed an ice sail to be used for ice skating which he declares "works fine" if handled properly. Mr. Carpenter was glided along on his skates at a high rate of speed in a diagonal direction across the large reservoir at the Maryville pumping station. A slight twist of the sail and he was turned around and carried back across the reservoir.

A son, Beverly, 7 years old, has a little ice sail of his own, which was made by his father, and it works also. A daughter, Velma Jean, 9 years old, hasn't a sail of her own, but she holds on to her father and gets the same thrill.

The ice sail has been tried by others than the Carpenter family. W. T. Garrett, John Price and Frank Cook have been carried across the ice by the sail and give it hearty approval.

## Enters Fourth Day of Unbroken Sleep

Portland, Ore., Feb. 1.—Frank J. West, railroad office clerk, entered his fourth day of unbroken sleep today. Physicians reported that his condition was "unchanged."

West fell asleep last Saturday and has not awakened since.

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W. L. Rhodes
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K C Baking Powder
for best results in your baking
Same Price for over 35 years
25 ounces for 25¢
Use less than of higher priced brands
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# February Bargains

## for Thursday, Friday and Saturday Selling

**Aprons**
Coverall aprons, made of good quality gingham in good style and patterns now each only
**69c**

**Tooth Paste**
The well known brand of Pebeco or Pepsodent tooth paste, now only per tube
**34c**

**Crepe De Chine**
40 inch all silk Crepe de Chine in all colors now per yard only
**$1.34**

**Wool Hose**
One lot of ladies' and children's wool hose worth $1.00 per pair now being closed out at per pair
**25c**

**Coats**
Your choice of all our winter coats now at ridiculously low prices
**$5.95, $12.95 $21.95**

**"The Delineator"**
We are now taking subscriptions for this famous magazine for one year at only
**85c**

**Handbags**
A beautiful new lot of ladies' handbags, a real bargain now for these new styles, each only
**$1.00**

**Blankets**
An extra large size in woolnap plaid blanket, 70x80 inches, now a real bargain at per pair only
**$1.89**

**Dresses**
A small lot of dresses worth up to $39.75 now being closed out at your choice only
**$12.95**

**Curtain Materials**
One big lot of short lengths of curtain materials worth up to $1.00 per yard now only per yard
**19c**

**Bloomers**
A real fine quality of ladies' Rayon bloomers in all colors, made with elastic knee and elastic waist, now per pair only
**$1.00**

**Union Suits**
Children's good warm winter weight union suits now each only
**69c**
One lot of ladies' union Suits worth up to $2.00, ankle length, now only per suit
**75c**

**Corsets**
A Warner corselette made of fancy silk stripe material, a real bargain, now each only
**$1.00**
All other corsets in both Gossards and Warner, now 20% off.

**Japanese Table Cloths**
Blue and white Japanese table cloths, the kind that will wash and look like new, each only
**$1.00**

**All Linen Crash**
An excellent quality in all linen crash toweling, unbleached with colored borders, now per yard only
**19c**

**Remnants**
All short lengths of piece goods of all kinds now exactly
½ PRICE

**Wool Dress Goods**
54 inch absolutely all wool, fine French flannel, all colors, now per yard only
**$2.29**

**Linen Table Cloths**
Absolutely all linen table cloths, colored borders, now each only
**$1.00**

**Silk Hose**
Ladies' fine quality pure thread silk hose, our famous $1.00 quality in all colors, now per yard only
**89c**

**Bath Towels**
An extra special in a large size double thread bath towel, 22x44 inches, now only
**25c**

**Table Oilcloth**
The very best quality of table oilcloth in white or fancy colors now per yard only
**25c**

**Crinkled Bed Spreads**
An excellent value in crinkled bed spreads, cream colored with colored stripes, 81x108 inches, very special now only
**$1.49**

**Wm. Anderson Prints**
We have just received a beautiful new spring line of the famous Wm. Anderson fast colored prints now per yard only
**50c**

**Table Damask**
An excellent value in a full bleached mercerized table damask, now only, per yard
**49c**

**Tubing**
36 inch very fine linen finish tubing, now per yard only
**25c**

**Pongee**
The very best quality of 33 inch Japanese Pongee, now per yard only
**49c**

**Taffeta Silk**
One small lot of 36 inch taffeta silk in black, navy and brown, now per yard only
**$1.19**

**Rayon Hose**
An excellent quality of Rayon hose, guaranteed to give satisfaction, in all colors, now per pair only
**50c**

**Children's Coats**
Your choice of all our infants' or children's coats from 1 to 6 years, now ½ price

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The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

**Kotex**
One dozen Kotex free with every two boxes you buy, this means 49c per box or 3 boxes for
**98c**

**Kid Gloves**
A big reduction now in fine kid gloves, worth up to $4.75 per pair now only
**$2.95**

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# SOCIETY

**Young Matron's Meeting.**

Mrs. E. C. Braniger will entertain the Young Matron's Division of the Ladies Aid of the First Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Election of officers will be held. Mrs. C. R. Gaugh will meet with the members and plans for future meetings will be made.

**Tuesday Bridge.**

Mrs. Fred Wolfers was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club yesterday. Mrs. Ralph Berger was an additional guest. Mrs. E. C. Braniger made high score.

**Business Meeting.**

Members of the Pi Epsilon Pi sorority will hold their regular monthly business meeting at the home of Miss Virginia Dean at 7 o'clock tonight.

**Leap Year Tea.**

A leap year tea was held in social hall, where the art display is arranged, at the State Teachers College from 3 to 5 o'clock this afternoon. Girls of the college gave the tea for the members of the faculty and for the men students.

Members of the Kappa Omicron Phi sorority served tea.

**Will Leave Friday.**

Mrs. M. G. Saunders of Pueblo, Colo., who has been in Maryville the past two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Colby, and Mr. Colby, and her brother, Joseph Jackson, and family, will leave Friday for her home. Many social affairs have been given for Mrs. Saunders during her visit here.

**Surprise Party.**

A surprise party was given at the P. H. Gorman home northeast of Maryville Saturday night in honor of the birthday of P. H. Gorman's son, Alfred Gorman. Games and music were the features of the evening. Refreshments of oysters, fruit salad, cake, candy and popcorn was served during the evening. Honors were shared with Miss Lucille Flanary, whose birthday is January 31.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Flanary, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Flanary, Misses Mary Kathleen Manning, Ellen McMahan, Pauline and Lucille Flanary, Loretta Gorman, Gladys Flanary, P. H. Gorman, John Manning, Bard Flanary, Roy Tuttle, Elmer Kermit, and J. W. Flanary, Ed George and Alfred Gorman.

**Fun Makers Club.**

The Fun Makers Club members entertained their families Friday night with a party at the new home of Miss Mary Hughes and Edward Hughes.

Cards were played at four tables. Highest scores were made by Lee Smock and Mrs. Roy Twaddell.

Late in the evening vanilla and nut carmel ice cream and chocolate nut and angel food cake were served. The assisting hostesses were Miss Hattie Linville and Mrs. Roy Twaddell.

Those entertained were: Mr .and Mrs. Walter Iddings, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linville, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smock, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Twaddell, Mrs. Dora Linville and Miss Hattie Linville, Phyllis Jean Twaddell, Doris Maxine and Eva Smock, Harvey and Leland Linville and Ray Blackney.

The next social party will be with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linville Feb. 24.

**Picnic Supper.**

The members of the Zeta Sigma Literary Society of the High School met at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Ray O'Grady, last night at 6:30 o'clock and had a picnic supper. After the supper the remainder of the evening was spent in guessing contests. Alice Shaw received the prize for answering the greatest number and Betty Woodhull received the consolation prize.

Those present were. Marzella Clary, Winifred Todd, Lucille Howard, Alice Shaw, Fern Hitchkiss, Edith and Alice Smith, Betty Woodhull, Isabelle Hamlin, Ellen Wiles and Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady.

**M. V. Club.**

Mrs. Orman Mitchel was hostess to the M. V. Club Saturday afternoon. The Bible reading was from the eighth chapter of St. John. Roll call was answered by "our grandfather's name." Two contests were enjoyed. Mrs. Jesse Tanner and Mrs. Emery Nicholson were winners. The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Dorjs, served sandwiches, pickles, fruit salad, cookies and cocoa to the following: Mrs. Martin Whited, Mrs. Will Kluth, Mrs. Jesse Tanner, Mrs. John Knisley, Mrs. Jim Bradshaw, Mrs. Emery Nicholson and children and Mrs. Orman Mitchel and children.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Tanner on February 11. Roll call will be answered with a Bible verse beginning with A.

**M. I. Circle.**

Mrs. Walter Mutz was hostess to the members of the Mutual Improvement Circle at their regular meeting yesterday afternoon. The lesson was given over to Bible study. Mrs. Hal Catterson reviewed "Brother Saul" by Byrne. Mrs. M. L. Butler discussed "Saul as Found in the Bible." Mrs. Ida J. Ambrose and Mrs. Ernest Hartness sang two duets, "Whispering Hope," and "More Like the Master." They were accompanied by Mrs. Dwight Swinford. John Lewis and Mary Louise Hartness sang "He Knows". They were accompanied by Mrs. Hartness. A letter was read from Mrs. Jake Melvin, a member of the club who is spending the winter in Long each, Cal. Mrs. Ernest Hartness and Mrs. Dwight Swinford were guests. Sixteen members were present.

The next meeting wil be held with Mrs. Robert Lyle, February 7.

**Birthday Dinner.**

Mrs. Mary Baker, living at 708 North Mulberry street, will celebrate her 90th birthday anniversary tomorrow with a 12 o'clock dinner at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Floyd Westfall at Barnard.

Mrs. Baker was born February 2, 1838. She lived at Evansville, Wis., before coming to Nodawdy County sixty years ago. She has lived in Maryville twenty-six years. Prior to that time the family lived on a farm north of Maryville. Mr. Baker died nine years ago.

She has another daughter, Mrs. Will Hanna, of near Pickering, and a son, Elmer Baker, living at Louisburg, Mo. There are sixteen grandchildren, twenty great grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren.

**R. N. I. Club.**

The R. N. I. Club meet Thursday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. Hall instead of Wednesday as announced.

**Bank Named Executor.**

The Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Company, by Joseph Jackson, yesterday was appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Martha Wade, who died January 15, at Denver, Colo., by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

# REVOLUTION IN SOUTH RUSSIA?

GOVERNMENT REPORTED MOBILIZING LARGE FORCES.

## IS DENIED OFFICIALLY

Rumors Inspired by Desire to Embarrass Soviet Union, Moscow Declares.

London, Feb. 1.—The Daily News-Westminster Gazette's Constantinople correspondent said today that Turkish newspapers reported a revolution occurring in southern Russia. The report said the soviet government was mobilizing large naval and military forces.

The British ambassador to Turkey was advised by Turkish authorities, according to the story, that the principal ports of crime have been closed by floating mines.

No confirmation of the report had been obtained yet.

Within the past few days there have been reports of revolutionary activities in Russia. They have been officially denied and apparently were without foundation.

One report from Riga, Latvia, said four companies of the army had revolted and was bombing the Kremlin. Moscow correspondents denied this, saying there were no untoward incidents in Moscow and only a normal peaceful crowd was around the Kremlin.

**Denied in Moscow.**

Moscow, Feb. 1.—The foreign office today denied rumors of a revolt in the Ukrane district, and aseribed them to the "usual desire on the part of the foreign press to picture the societ union as a country of constant, if imaginary revolts."

No rumors of revolution or disquiet have been heard here.

Trains have been arriving daily from the Crimea and south Russia. Their passengers ridiculed reports of trouble.

O. R. Toman, district superintendent of the Maryville Electric Light and Power Company, left this afternoon for Cedar Rapids, Ia., to attend a convention of the National Electric Light Association.

## The Girl Reserves Meet at High School

Upper Class Women Discuss China; Other Group Hears Talk on Beatitudes.

A program on China, taking in its graphic conditions, customs and religion was given this morning at the junior-senior division of the Girl Reserve meeting of the Maryville high school. Devotions were in charge of Elizabeth Hull.

The following talks were given: "Graphic Conditions," by Helen Daugherty; "Customs," by Mary Donna Malotte; "Religious Life," by Neva Wilkerson; "Girl Reserve Work in China," by Doris Walker.

The freshman-sophomore girl reserve met today. Also the roll call and minutes were read. The scripture was read by Shirley Bennett. The Lord's prayer was given by the club. Short talks on "Beatitudes pertaining to Girl Reserves" were given by Reba Butler, Virginia Lucas, Eudora Smith, Norma Short, Nina Kime, Laura Jean Murdock, Ola Slagle and Winnie Hoblitzell. The meeting was closed by the benediction.

## Homecoming Sunday at Mozingo Valley

The Mozingo Valley Homecoming that was to have been held January 29 but postponed on account of the death and funeral of the Rev. H. A. Doughty of Pickering, will be held at the Mozingo Valley church next Sunday, February 5. The Bosley entertainers of Clarinda will be on the program at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Mozingo Valley Church is located five miles east of Pickering.

Good Memories Fade
Photographs Don't.
Better Call Carpenter Today.
Phone 466.

Home Talent Play

"OLD MAID'S CONVENTION"

by Ladies' Auxiliary of Swinford Church at the church 4 miles east of Arkoe.

Friday, February 3, 7:30.
Admission 10c—20c.

## Talks on Missouri Women in Politics

Mother of Mrs. A. F. Harvey Gives Views in St. Louis Papers; Secretary of Women's Party.

"Sex chivalry of Missouri men would keep women on a pedestal, but no woman of today wants such a useless piece of furniture to rest upon," is the opinion of Mrs. J. C. Glenn of Kansas City, state secretary of the National Women's Party in Missouri.

Mrs. Glenn is the mother of Mrs. A. F. Harvey of Maryville. A picture of Mrs. Glenn and an account of her views on Missouri women in politics appeared in Tuesday's issue of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

"In no way," she declared, "do Missouri women lack fitness or ability; neither do they want to take a man's place, but rather they want to stand beside him and help in all things that govern and control civic and family institutions."

Mrs. Glenn feels that a solid wall of antagonism has been built by men around practically all state affairs, and that women in Missouri should have recognition in public matters.

## Women Students of College in Meeting

Women students of the State Teachers College attended a meeting called by Miss Edith A. Barnard, dean of women at the college, this morning when "dates" and housing were discussed.

D. J. Howell and E. E. Williams of Cheyenne, Wyo., are visiting in Maryville for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Bovard went to Kansas City yesterday.

C. C. Corwin made a business trip to Princeton yesterday.

Maryville Lodge No. 165
A. F. & A. M.
Regular Communication
7:30 TONIGHT
WORK IN FIRST DEGREE
H. H. Lyle, W. M.
Fred French, Sec'y.

**MISSOURI** Last Time Today | One Show 8 p. m. | Admission 15c-50c

William Boyd in "DRESS PARADE"

With Bessie Love. A colorful and thrilling romance of a West Point cadet. Actual life at the Military Academy. Collegians. Life of Riley Battery "C" Orchestra.

Thursday and Friday—Ester Ralston in
"FIGURES DON'T LIE"
"Facts are Facts." A snappy Paramount picture.
Pathe — Review — Fable—
Moonlight Serenaders, Thursday.

FRIDAY—SATURDAY—
VAUDEVILLE
A Martin-Randall 6 people review from Omaha.

**ELECTRIC** Today And Thursday | Matinee 3 p. m. | 7:30 9:00 | Prices 10-25

"ROUGH RIDERS"

A Paramount Special which played to around 50,000 at the "Star" party. Starring Noah Beery, Charles Farrell, George Bancroft, Charles Mark, Mary Astor and Frank Hopper. A worth while picture—bully entertainment.

JOHN G. MUTZ

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## Herron Club Holds Third Annual Dinner

Charles Wells Toastmaster and Several Make Short Talks.—About 200 Persons Present.

The Herron Co-operative Club held its third annual dinner last night in the dining room of the First M. E. Church of Maryville with approximately 200 persons attending. The dinner was served by the women of the church.

Charles Wells acted as toastmaster and presented the newly elected officers. Short talks were made by D. O. Belt, W. C. Pierce, W. F. Phares, Ernest Wray, Joseph Jackson, Elmer Coats, and J. Ross Fleetwood.

Mr. Belt, who won the distinction of "Master Farmer" through a contest conducted by the Missouri Ruralist last year, talked about the Master Farmer movement.

Mr. Phares told of the cow survey which is being conducted in the vicinity of Maryville. He said that a report on the survey soon would be made.

Mr. Wray, who is president of the Farm Bureau, told of the proposed unification of the farm organizations in Nodaway County.

During the dinner the Hopkins family of Graham gave an entertainment for about forty minutes which consisted of readings, dancing and musical numbers.

## Pictures Express the Artist's Mood

Subject Matter Relatively Unimportant Says Miss DeLuce in Discussing Art Exhibit.

"Pictures express the mood of the artist. They are not literal interpretations," Miss Olive DeLuce, head of the art department at the State Teachers College, told members of the Newman club whom she addressed yesterday afternoon. Miss DeLuce gave her address in the recreation room in the administration building, where the art exhibit is displayed.

"Each picture has a personality and each picture will appeal differently to different people.

"The subject matter is unimportant compared to the message which the author tries to convey."

Miss DeLuce spoke on the enduring appeal of pictures. "Pictures are priceless and they are the glory of the home. People should own pictures," the speaker declared.

In her talk Miss DeLuce mentioned several of the pictures in the exhibit and pointed out the broad technique or broad brush stroke in "Deerfield River" as compared to the small brush stroke in "Norfolk River". She discussed also the center of interest and the color of the paintings.

"The Catholis Church was the earliest patron of art," Miss DeLuce told the club members. She pointed out that the Chapel of Our Lady at the convent at Conception is as fine as can be found anywhere in the United States. She spoke of the Romanesque-Byzantine mosaics.

## Reading of Bible To Be Discussed

Those persons at the fellowship meeting at the First Methodist Church tonight will take for the subject of its discussion, "Shall we read the Bible?" Other questions will be, What has become of the family altar? Does the Sunday School encourage Bible reading? Does the way the Bible is printed make a difference? It is claimed that this is the biggest mid-week service in Northwest Missouri and there are reasons, the pastor the Rev. W. S. Wood hull declares.

## V. O. Moore Off for Business Inspection

V. O. Moore left yesterday morning for eastern points to look over his business. Mr. Moore is manager of the U-Drive-It Yourself Co. On his trip Mr. Moore plans to visit Dayton, Ohio, Columbus, Ohio, Philadelphia, Penn., Jersey City, N. J., New York City and Norfolk, Va.

## Two Fire Calls to Usher in New Month

Flue Burns Out Last Night and Roof of Ellsworth House Is Burned Early Today.

January was ushered out and the new month announced with fires.

The fire truck was called to the residence occupied by Art Dowden, 302 East First street at 8:30 o'clock last night when a flue burned out. No damage was incurred.

At 6:30 o'clock this morning the roof on the H. M. Ellsworth home, 124 West Fifth street, caught fire from the flue and the loss was estimated by Fire Chief Claud Stults at $10.

### Patricia Anne Studer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Studer announce the birth of a daughter, Patricia Anne, at the St. Francis hospital yesterday afternoon. The young lady weighed nine pounds.

## College Art Exhibit Ends Friday Morning

Painting to Be Sent to Louisiana University After Two Weeks Exhibition Here.

The exhibition of twenty-four original paintings at the State Teachers College, loaned by the American Federation of Arts, will end Friday morning, after a two weeks' exhibit. The paintings are to be sent to the University of Louisiana at Baton Rouge. A genuine appreciation was shown by those who saw the exhibition.

Aldro T. Hibbard's painting of "Cascade," had greater appeal to adults and students than any other picture, Miss Olive DeLuce said. The supreme favorites of Maryville school children were Ernest Lawson's "The Bathers," Gardner Symon's "Deerfield River," and E. Irving Couse's "Indian Camp at Night."

## Chivalry Talks Are Given at Hi-Y Club

"Chivalry" was the topic of discussion this morning at a meeting of the Hi-Y Club of the Maryville high school. Calvin Allen was the chairman. Devotions were in charge of Lloyd Jones. "Chivalry at Home" was discussed by Harry Trullinger; "Chivalry at School," by George Epperson; "Chivalry on the Streets," by Homer Warner.

## Buhlers Install a New Cooling System

A complete frigidaire system has been installed by the Buhler Grocery. The show case and meat stock room have been equipped with this cooling device. The interior of the store is under going a complete change, new shelves having been installed and the store repainted.

## Printers Easy for St. Patrick Cagers

The St. Patrick's high school basketball team romped away to an easy victory over the Printers last night on the High School court. The final score was 39 to 11.

Conway and A. Kill tied for high-point scores, both making seventeen points.

The box score:

| Printers | fg | ft | St. Pats | fg | ft |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| E. E. Barrett, f | 0 | 0 | Conway, f | 8 | 1 |
| E. L. Barrett, f | 1 | 2 | Berg, f | 1 | 2 |
| A. Short, f | 0 | 1 | Yeaman, f | 0 | 1 |
| Arthur, c | 1 | 0 | A. Kill, c | 8 | 1 |
| Masters, g | 0 | 0 | Robey, g | 0 | 0 |
| Vanscoy, g | 2 | 0 | Madden, g | 0 | 0 |
| | | | M. Kill, g | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 4 | 3 | TOTAL | 17 | 5 |

## Independents Defeat Spic and Span Team

In the second match of tournament play at the G. M. C. bowling parlor last night, the Independents won from the Spic and Span team, two games to one. Stanfield of the Independents was high ten and high thirty. Tonight the Wilcox Club bowls the Nickel Plates. The score of last night's match:

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|---|---|---|---|
| INDEPENDENTS— | | | |
| Stanfield | 197 | 164 | 165—526 |
| Lightfoot | 171 | 141 | 191—503 |
| Saunders | 102 | 126 | 172—400 |
| SPIC and SPAN— | | | |
| Dempsey | 132 | 143 | 135—410 |
| Butheris | 119 | 144 | 158—421 |
| Meek | 135 | 182 | 105—422 |

Last night it was announced that another team had entered the tournament, making ten teams in all. This team will play on Friday nights of each week.

TEAMS

| Team | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Independents | 2 | 1 | .666⅔ |
| Puritan Cafe | 2 | 1 | .666⅔ |
| El Retina | 1 | 2 | .333⅓ |
| Spic & Span | 1 | 2 | .333⅓ |
| Nickel Plates | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Wilcox | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Parnell | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Nutty Three | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Chevrolets | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| New Team | 0 | 0 | .000 |

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES

| | |
|---|---|
| Mayes, Puritans | 539 |
| Fanning, Puritans | 534 |
| Stanfield, Independents | 526 |
| Gray, El Retina | 519 |
| Lightfoot, Independents | 503 |


AUNT HET

"My girls got boy on the brain when they was about fourteen, just like all of 'em do, but I just fed 'em onions an' didn't do no worryin'."

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# THE BEARCATS TAKE A REST

COLLEGE FIVE IDLE BEFORE SPRINGFIELD TRIP.

## LEAVES AT 4:18 TODAY

Crucical Games of Season With Springfield Tomorrow and Friday.—Nine Men to Make Trip.

Following the rather arduous task last Friday and Saturday of traveling to Cape Girardeau and back, besides fighting two basketball games with the Indians of the Southeast State Teachers College, Coach H. Frank Lawrence has deemed it advisable to suspend basketball drill for the Northwest College court warriors.

Monday and Tuesday of this week the Bearcats were idle. Late today they embarked for Springfield where they will compete with the M. I. A. A. conference leaders, to probably undergo the supreme tests of the year tomorrow and Friday.

They now stand tied for third and fourth place in the conference.

In the four battles thus far engaged in between Coach Lawrence's quintet and teams of the conference, the Bearcats have lost the first game and won the second of two twin bills. Alibis may explain both defeats. The first defeat freely has been discussed, but probably an alibi, or more appropriately a good reason, should be propounded for the most recent.

The flying trip of President Uel W. Lamkin and Assistant Coach E. A. Davis, was a noteworthy attempt to carry the equipment to the Bearcats in time for their contest with the Indians last week, but the regretable phase of this relief excursion was the failure to arrive with the suits on time. The Bearcats had to play on foreign ground, against a new foe, bedecked in strange colors.

This slowed up the play of the Maryville representatives appreciably and caused no little amount of erractic passing, and more noticeable than all, hesitancy in passing, which Coach Lawrence has been trying so hard to eliminate. They lost this game. The following night, wearing familiar costumes, the Bearcats hit their natural stride and easily defeated the Indians to split the two game series at Cape Girardeau.

With all this excitement and physical strain, the Bearcats deserved a rest, and rests are as important to a basketball team as monotonous drill, if taken at the logical time in proper doses. Coach Lawrence felt that that time had arrived. The Bearcats were stale to some degree and he believed that a short rest would freshen his porteges into fighting vigor for the crucial fraeas on Thursday and Friday of this week. If they lose to the conference leaders, their chance for a repetition of former titles is slight, but if they win everyone may be assured that Coach Lawrence still has a true Bearcat five in hand.

In an interview he proferred a statement, taking the blame for the incident marring the Cape trip, saying that he failed to check the trunk containing the equipment. He made several statements refuting many rumors that have been abroad since the entourage, emphasizing the fact that he did notice the omission until the team had arrived in St. Louis; that he telephoned to president Lamkin at 8:13 Friday morning; that the car bearing the equipment was on its way at 9 o'clock Friday morning; that there was no telegram to the President that was undelivered; that Mr. Lamkin and Mr. Davis did not burn out a bearing in St. Joseph and did not have any trouble of any kind; that the new Buick had been thoroughly "broken in," registering 1,148 miles when the trip was started; and that after an examination by three mechanics, no damage was discovered. The down trip covered 514 miles, which was made in twelve hours and forty-five minutes.

The Bearcats will leave for Springfield at 4:48 p. m. today and will arrive at about 7 o'clock tomorrow morning in Springfield.

An effort will be made to concentrate the Maryville defense upon Stark and Fox, the two big scoring aces of the Springfield aggregation. The following men will make the trip: Burks, Ungles, Hedges, Ferguson, Harris, McKee, Iba, Smith, Davison.

## Sell Two Hundred Acres for $17,300

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen have sold to Mr. and Mrs. George Ballard, 200 acres located two and a half miles southeast of Conception Junction, for 17,300 consideration, according to a warranty deed, filed for record here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Colhour, Burlington Junction, were visitors here yesterday afternoon.


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## Roy Mayes Buys McMurry Property

George McMurry has sold his six-room house on East Fifth street to Roy Mayes, for a consideration of $1,650. Mr. Mayes bought the property for a home and will be given possession at once. The deal was made by Yeo Brothers.

## Community Meeting at Blackman School

Elmer Coats, Agriculture Teacher of Maryville High School, in Charge of Discussion.

A community meeting will be held at the Blackman school tomorrow night. The time will be taken up in discussion of local farm problems, dealing at length with the feeding problem. Elmer R. Coats, vocational agriculture instructor of the Maryville high school, will be in charge of the discussion.

## J. K. McBride, Former Resident Here, Dead

J. K. McBride, a former resident of Maryville, died last Saturday morning at his home in Fort Dodge, Ia., after a long illness, according to word received here.

## Warrensburg-Cape Debate to Be Here

Will Be Held in Maryville on May 14. —College Debates Arranged on Foreign Fields.

In the State Teachers College series of debates Cape Girardeau and Warrensburg will debate in Maryville on May 14. It is a ruling among the Missouri Teachers Colleges that the debates between schools must be held on neutral fields.

Maryville debates Kirksville at Warrensburg on May 14, with another debate on the same date with Springfield at Cape Girardeau.

## M. H. S. HAS A RIVAL FOR LADY'S FAVOR

Miss Victory, Dating Steadily With Spoofhounds, May Smile on Trenton Friday.

Miss Gain A. Victory, the most popular young lady in athletic circles, is the favorite sweetheart of all aspiring young basketball men. In fact, they will risk their very necks to win a smile from this fair damsel.

This winter she seems to have been dating our own M. H. S. In fact M. H. S. seems to hold first place in Miss Victory's affection for she has gone with him to nine basketball games without breaking a single date.

But M. H. S. or "Spoofhounds," as he is more popularly called, is not over-confident for he knows the ways of women, and he will not be sure Miss Victory is won until he has met every possible rival and in each case has proved himself the better man.

Friday night, Trenton, the Bulldog, is coming to offer his heart and hand to Miss Victory. He is sure to make a desperate effort to "hold on" as long as there is any hope of winning her. "All is fair in love and war," and there is much speculation as to what M. H. S. will do with this, his tenth rival?

A review of this story will be given at a pep assembly in the high school auditorium at 10:40 o'clock Friday morning. It is to be an original romance movie. "Miss Victory Entertains Her Suitors."

## Thorp Team Defeats Miller Team 9 to 7

The Junior Athletic Club of the Maryville high school staged a basketball gam yesterday morning in the gymnasium, which resulted in a score of 9 to 7 in favor of the team captained by John Henry Thorp. Dean Miller was captain of the losing side, which offered him close competition.

# HOG CONTEST IS ANNOUNCED

CAN MAKE ENTRIES NOW IN THE SWINE PRODUCTON.

## $400 IN CASH PRIZES

Swine Producers in This County May Make Entry With J. Ross Fleetwood, County Extension Agent.

The second annual Missouri Swine Herd Production contest has been announced by the Missouri College of Agriculture at Columbia. Entries can be made by any swine producer in Missouri with three or more sows farrowing between February 1 and April 15. Swine producers in Nodaway county must make their entires with J. R. Fleetwood, county extension agent, at his office in Maryville. Cash prizes totaling $400 are offered to division winners and all owners who make the required herd weights will be entitled to gold medals.

Cash prizes of $50, $30 and $20 are offered by the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce to first, second and third place winners in each division who market their pigs in Kansas City. County trophies are also offered for winners if five or more men in a county complete their records, without regard to whether all of the herds qualify for medals or not.

Gold medals are offered by the respective stockyards companies to all who make the required weights and who ship their pigs to Kansas City, to St. Joseph or to St. Louis.

In 1927, six of the fifty-two entries made the required herd weights and received their gold medals during Farmers' Week at the Missouri College of Agriculture. According to H. M. Garlock of the College, prospects are good for increased competition this year in the state-wide contest.

Rules will be the same as last year and the size of the herd will determine in which division the entrant will be classified. The four divisions and their weight requirements to qualify for gold medals are: Those owning 15 sows and over—1400 pounds per litter; 10 to 14 sows inclusive—1500 pounds per litter; 6 to 9 sows inclusive—1600 pounds; and 3 to 5 sows inclusive—1800 pounds. Weights will be determined by an average of all litter entries in a herd at an average herd age of 180 days.

All competing litters must be farrowed between February 1 and April 15, 1927, sows and litters must be earmarked, and the entry made within 10 days after the last litter is farrowed. The herds will be inspected by a county committee before June 1, 1928. A feed record of the feed consumed by the sows and pigs from farrowing to weaning time and by the pigs from weaning time until the date of weighing is requested.

Plans for worm prevention and economical feeding can be secured free on request from Mr. Fleetwood.

## Hatchery Flocks Are Culled by Inspector

Hens Which Furnish Eggs to Institution Here Are Undergoing Annual Test.

Ward Bowen of Union Star, licensed poultry inspector, is in Nodaway County culling the flocks which will furnish eggs for Gray's hatchery.

According to state regulation, hatcheries cannot use eggs that do not come from flocks that are accredited. An inspector annually visits the flocks of poultry owners who furnish eggs for hatcheries and culls the chickens for general health, egg laying and exhibition quality.

Bands are placed on the chickens which pass the inspector's tests and the owners get a certificate of culling every year. Chickens which do not come up to the standard must be eliminated from the flocks which furnish hatchery eggs. The hatcheries are inspected once a month.

The first chicks from the Gray hatchery will be hatched February 15.

The flock owners are:

Barred Plymouth Rocks, Mrs. Ernest Wray, Mrs. Roy Lipman, State Teachers College.

White Plymouth Rocks, Mrs O. L. Burch, Hopkins; Mrs. Ray Masters.

Rhode Island Reds, Mrs. D. O. Belt, Gene Rathbun, F. P. Robinson.

Buff Orpingtons, Mrs. Ray Proctor, Mrs. Jess Dowden.

White Wyandottes, Mrs. W. O. Griffey, Mrs. John R. Evans, Mrs. Lester Rogers.

S. C. White Leghorns, J. L. Clayton, Pickering; Mrs. A. R. Moore, State Teachers College.

White Minorcas, Mrs. G. Harbison.

Light Bramas, F. P. Robinson.

Brown Leghorns, Mrs. Alvin Trueblood, Hopkins.

White Orpingtons, Mrs. G. Harbison.

Read the Want Ads.

# FAR BEHIND IN T. B. TESTING

STATISTICS SHOW ADVISABILITY OF HURRYING PETITIONS.

## PROGRESS VERY SLOW

Missouri Has Only 965 Accredited Herds and Only Six Modified Accredited Counties.

The advisability of completing the petitions to have Nodaway county placed on Missouri's list of accredited tuberculosis-free counties is revealed in the latest statistics issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. With the petitions completed and filed, weeks, perhaps months, will elapse before the work can be reached in this county.

There now are 3,943 herds, consisting of 88,233 cattle, waiting to be tested in this state. The rate of progress is slow. To illustrate, during the month of December, 1927, the inspector was able to inspect only 488 herds, consisting of 5,643 head of cattle.

The progress of the tuberculosis eradication work in Missouri is shown in the fact that 60,946 herds, comprising 539,482 cattle, have been once-tested-free. Out of these, however, the total number of accredited herds is only 965 consisting of 33,511 cattle. And only six Missouri counties are on the modified accredited list. The Missouri inspector now has under his supervision in Missouri 64,393 herds, consisting of 591,199 head of cattle.

How Missouri has lagged in this respect is shown by what other states have done. Iowa has 37 counties on the modified accredited list; Indiana, 25; Kansas, 23; Michigan, 51; Minnesota, 12; Nebraska, 26; North Carolina, 91; North Dakota, 24; Ohio, 18, and Wisconsin, 26.

Petitions have been distributed throughout the county to representative farmers and livestock breeders to be circulated among the cattle owners. A few have been returned to the secretary of the organization formed for the purpose of getting a tuberculosis test, to be forwarded to Dr. H. A. Wilson, head of the state veterinary department, but not all districts of the county have as yet returned the petitions.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buffington of Stanberry were in Maryville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lehman, Skidmore, spent yesterday here.

# Hints and Helps for Farmers

by J. Ross Fleetwood County Extension Agent

Soil Fertility; Its Possibilities.

Don't forget the Clover and Prosperity meeting Wednesday, February 15 at the courthouse. This meeting is open to the public and everyone interested is urged to come. Delegates have been appointed to attend from each school district and the lunch at noon will be only for the delegates. However, the purpose of appointing delegates was an attempt to secure more wide-spread attendance rather than an attempt to limit attendance. Soil fertility is so important, affecting every landowner, that a meeting of this kind should have a universal appeal. It is doubtful if very far-reaching results in soil improvement can ever be attained in the county except through concerted effort; and the clover and prosperity organization, when functioning properly furnishes an excellent channel for concerted effort. It is difficult for individuals working as such to do very much toward improving lime, and phosphate, seed and inoculation service. While by organized effort it will be possible to obtain better lime and phosphate in desired quantities, better seed and have good inoculation material available. Lime bins must be established, phosphate stocked, lime spreaders and fertilizer drills will have to be made available and sources of reliable seeds will have to be encouraged. Excellent seeds are always available but seed dealers are not encouraged to handle the best when most patrons seem to be satisfied with seeds of poorer quality. The possibilities of a functioning Clover and Prosperity organization are practically unlimited.

Hog Production Contest Sound.

Mention is made elsewhere in this paper of the Missouri Hog Production Contest. This contest was conducted last year and one entry from Nodaway county was able to complete and meet the requirements. Last year only six of the fifty-two entries during 1927 made the required weights and some may feel that there is no use to try or that it will cost too much money to carry the pigs in this contest. However, the six contestants who won last year had 668 pigs entered in the contest had made the gain on their pigs for an average of $6.61 per hundred from farrowing time until marketed.

In addition to making cheap gains these hogs were all sold October 15 and brought a good price on the market. From this it would seem that this is the best way to handle the hogs. I hope that several entries can be secured in this county this year for as I see this contest it is based on a sound economic basis and gives the man who does a good job of feeding and management an opportunity to gain recognition for it.

Should Get Calves, Pigs Now.

Boys and girls interested in the calf and pig clubs now should be procuring their calves and pigs as soon as possible, for delay now means a handicap later on.

Phosphate on Corn Unnecessary.

Many inquiries have been received in regard to using acid phosphate on corn. Generally speaking, it is not considered worth while to apply phosphate on soil for corn unless in conjunction with manure or on legume sod. This is due to the fact that acid phosphate supplies only phosphorous and not a balanced fertilizer. Where manure or sod is used, nitrogen is supplied and the phosphate balances the nitrogen, and for our conditions we have a balanced fertilizer. Demonstrations have failed to show much increase where the phosphate is used without manure or plowing under a legume sod.

## Meat Stolen From Ed Hackett Place

Bloodhounds Follow Trail to House in Burlington Junction but No Arrests Follow.

One shoulder of fresh meat was stolen night before last from the Ed Hackett place, on the edge of Burlington Junction. Bloodhounds were brought to the scene of the theft yesterday and with Deputy Sheriffs U. S. Reavis, John Rasco and Howard Bancroft, followed a trail to a house there but the meat could not be located. No arrests had been made at noon today.

Is Better Today.

John Miller, Burlington Junction, who underwent an operation at the St. Francis hospital last week, was not getting along satisfactorily last night, but is reported improved today.

# CHICKS SOON IN THE MAILS

POSTOFFICE AND EXPRESS COMPANY PREPARE FOR RUSH.

## IS BIG BUSINESS NOW

Two Large Hatcheries Here Have Thousands of Eggs in Incubators Already.

With a breathing spell enjoyed by the employes of the postoffice and express company after the heavy Christmas rush, the deluge of baby chick parcels will start to flood the mails within the next two weeks.

Already the big incubators in local hatcheries have been filled with fertile eggs and "it won't be long now" until the shipments start leaving here for distribution for distant points.

With scores of hatcheries located in Missouri and more farmers and urban dwellers taking up poultry raising every year, the baby chick business has grown from a small industry to one of the large ones in the state.

In Maryville there are two large hatcheries, operated by the Maryville Hatchery and T. C. Gray.

15,500 Eggs Hatching Now.

Last Monday the Maryville Hatchery set 7,500 eggs and three days later the same number, the management intends to continue this incubation average every week after the first batch hatches, which will be in three weeks, according to Thomas B. Young, manager.

Mr. Gray set 8,000 eggs last week and will continue with his settings through the season. The hatcheries generally continue until July 1.

So about the middle of February there will be thousands of baby chicks leaving Maryville, either by parcel post or express.

Thousands and thousands of baby chicks are sold in Missouri every year. The hatcheries in the state not catering alone to Missouri dwellers, but to every poultry raiser in the United States. Missouri hatched chicks are sent to practically every state in the union.

Burden on Carriers.

The main burden of delivering the baby chicks falls to the lot of the rural delivery carriers. Farmers are naturally, the largest buyers of baby chicks, but post office employes state that more city people are taking up the poultry business on a small scale every year. Where the farmers buy in lots of one hundred, the city or suburban dweller purchases twenty-five chicks.

Great care is used by the post employes in handling of the boxes containing the chicks. While the paper crates are properly ventilated, they must be protected from overheating or from becoming too cold.

The chick business usually starts about the first of February and this business is rushing until May 1st.

Along with the hatcheries, the postal department is one of the big gainers from the baby chick business as practically all are sent parcel post and arrangements have been made by many to have them mailed C. O. D.

## MARVIN LYLE MAKES $36 ON HOG PROJECT

Purebred Gilt and Her Pigs Return Total of $129, but Expenses Are $112.74.

Marvin Lyle, age 16, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lyle, of near Maryville made a total net profit of $36.10 from a vocational agriculture project at the Maryville high school. He purchased a pure bred Poland-China girt for $50.

Three boars and five gilts were raised.

Marvin fed the gilt a ration of corn, oats, tankage, and blue grass, and feed from the pasture.

His total expenses were $112.74. He paid $19.90 for labor; $57.24 for feed; $15.18 for pasture; 20 cents for oil; $2.50 for vaccination; $1.77 as interest on investment and had a depreciation of $23.

His receipts show three boar pigs valued at $22.50 each; two gilts valued at $25 each. Marvin won $12 in prize money at the Vocational Agriculture Pig Show. The total receipts amounted to $129.

The value of the sow at the close of the project was $30. His total net profit was $16.20 and Marvin paid himself $19.90 labor thus realizing a total project income of $36.10

The gilts and boars were sold for breeding purpose.

Charles Baker, Hopkins, was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

J. A. Boatwright, Stanberry, spent yesterday in Maryville.

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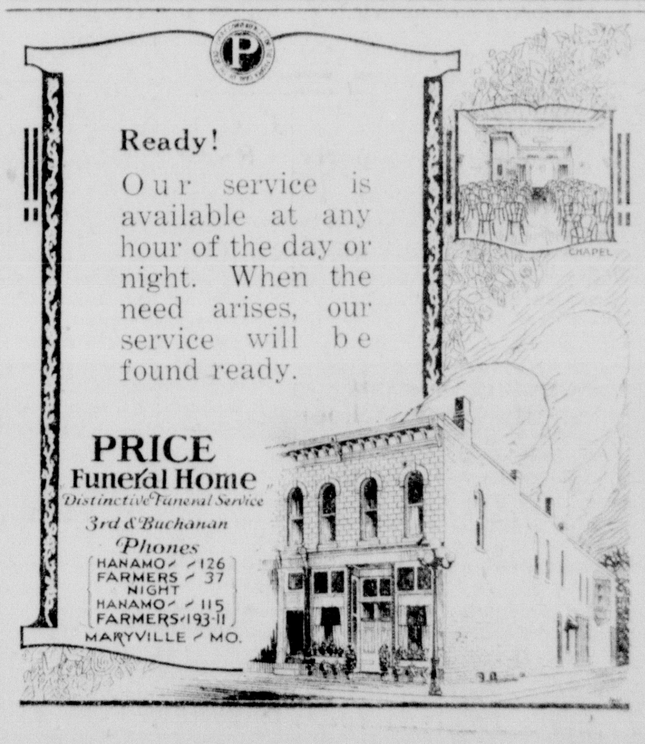

# The Blazing Horizon

NEA FICTION

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By ERNEST LYNN

THE STORY THUS FAR

The story is laid in the Indian territory and along the Kansas border in the '80's, when a fight was being waged for the opening of the territory to settlement.

Chief characters are:

TONY HARRISON, orphaned at 13 when his father was shot in a poker game;

PAWNEE BILL, adventurer, teacher, Indian interpurter, showman;

JOE CRAIG, who takes Tony to the Bar K ranch to live;

TITUS MOORE, owner of the Bar K brand;

RITA, his little tomboy daughter.

Some years later, when Rita and her mother depart for the east and a finishing school, the boy learns for the first time how much he cares for Titus Moore's red-haired, arrogant daughter.

Moore is one of the chief opponents of the movement to open Oklahoma. Word is received that DAVID PAYNE, leader of the movement is dead, and Tony, in his loyalty to Moore, is troubled because of his sympathy for Payne's cause.

He tries to forget Rita Moore and accompanies Pawnee Bill and BUFFALO BILL on a wild west show tour. When he returns, Rita comes back for a visit and Tony is forlorn in the knowledge of his hopeless love for her. Finally, in desperation, he declares himself.

CHAPTER XXXV.

"He's lit out—I don't know where." Craig informed her. And then a return of the suspicion that had prompted him to question Tony a few minutes before his departure led him to inquire sharply, "Look here, did that boy do anything to make you feel bad?"

"No, no," she said hastily, and added slowly, "I feel badly, Joe, but not at anything Tony's done. Please remember that."

"I will. Rita, you've been cryin', and it just breaks me all up. Can't you tell Joe Craig just what it's all about? I'll bet it was that damn Tony after all," he added belligerently.

"Dear old Joe," she said softly, forcing a smile, "You'd be bound to take my part, wouldn't you?" She patted his arm, heard him smother an exclamation at her touch. "Is your arm hurt, Joe? I'm sorry."

"I banged it against a fence post this evening," he lied. "Must have sprained my wrist or something."

He eyed her commiseratingly. "Look here, Rita; can't I help you out? Did you and Tony have a fight? Just say the word and I'll ride after him and haul him back."

"A fine chance you'd have of catching Cherokee," she scorned, with a brave little attempt at a laugh. "Joe," she added, her voice high-pitched, nervous, "did you ever hear mother or father mention the Forsythes of Washington?"

He reflected a moment. "Seems to me I did."

"Father no doubt will make some sort of announcement before I leave, but I wanted to be the first to tell you; I want you to be the first to congratulate me. "I'm engaged to marry Herbert Forsythe."

He stood as if rooted to the spot, stared at her dumbly.

"Aren't you going to congratulate me?" she asked. "Don't"—her voice trembled with hysteria—"don't you see how happy I am? Why don't you say something?"

His eyes were frightened. He closed them, as if to shut out the sight of something that hurt him. He made no answer but reached out an arm and gathered her to him. She had found the understanding she had been craving. He patted her gently as she leaned against him and cried on his shoulder, her body wracked by violent sobs.

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The Bar K heard nothing from Tony Harrison. Some weeks after he left Craig got a letter from Pawnee Bill informing him that Tony had left Cherokee in his care and had headed east.

"He didn't do any explaining," Pawnee Bill wrote, "other than to say he had left the Bar K for good. He asked me if I would winter Cherokee at my father's place, and I imagine he headed for some big city—probably Chicago."

Craig's only word to Titus Moore was to deliver Tony's message. "He told me to tell you he was real grateful, Colonel; then he lit out."

"And what do you make of it, Craig?"

"Me? I don't understand it a little bit."

The colonel smiled patiently, but did not press the matter further. He was not a fool, he told himself. But he was wise enough to say nothing to Rita or her mother. After his wife and daughter left he moved around the ranch looking like someone who had lost his only friend, and Craig, hugging his secret to himself, would gaze after him with many mournful shakings of the head, hoping in vain for some intimate little revelation from the colonel that would invite his own confidence.

It did not come until considerably later.

Toward the end of November Craig encountered Pawnee Bill in Caldwell. His first question elicited only a confession of complete ignorance.

"Haven't heard a word from him," Lillie informed him. "I'm beginning to get worried. I'd counted on him going out with me in the spring." He shook his head.

I'm real anxious to get word to him somehow," Craig confessed. "I'll write a letter to him and put it in your hands. If he ambles onto the farm some day, inquiring after Cherokee, see that he gets it, will you?"

He would, Pawnee Bill promised.

Colonel Moore's right worried," Craig confided; "not to mention myself."

"He can take care of himself."

"I know him better than you do. He'll be breakin' his fool neck." Colonel Moore, he added, would be going east in a week or two. "He's aiming to spend the Christmas holidays with Rita and her mother. He might spend some time there, Mrs. Moore ain't well at all, and the old man's somewhat nervous about it."

At Christmas time there was a present for Joe Craig from Tony—two flannel shirts, very loud, and sent by express to Caldwell. Joe, looking for a return address, found only the name of the firm from whom the shirts had been purchased. He knew only that Tony was in Chicago—or had been.

As a matter of fact, Tony was still there; but no one heard from him again until early in March, when Pawnee Bill got a wire from him asking to be informed concerning his show plans. He wired a reply, ending with "Letter follows," and slipped Joe Craig's letter inside the envelope of his own.

Tony read the leter in the little hall bedroom of the boarding house he had been calling home for several months. When he had finished he lay back on his bed and stared at the ceiling. Presently he sat up and read the letter over, his mouth twisting into a queer little grimace of pain.

One paragraph, especially, he read over and over. "What you couldn't see, in your pigheadedness," Craig had written, "was that she done it to make her mother happy. She don't love this Herbert Forsythe any more than the man in the moon, but all hell couldn't make her admit it to anybody—even to me, and she'll tell me more than most folks. But I had sense enough to see it, and you didn't. Whatever happened between you and Rita—and I don't know what it was—you plumb misjudged her."

Tony crumpled the letter in his hand and strode over to cheap little dresser to stare at his reflection in a cracked mirror. Perhaps, he admitted to himself, he had misjudged her—still that didn't help matters.

"Where do I get off?" he asked his distorted reflection and found himself feeling a hatred for Mrs. Moore, invalid though she was. "What right has she got?" he demanded fiercely. "It's not her own life she's meddling with. Hell!" he exploded savagely and brought his hand down on the dresser with a tremendous smack that sent the mirror to quivering and his own warped image to dancing crazily before his dark-circled eyes.

He reached for his hat and coat and piled out into the street, where he walked rapidly toward the nearest saloon. A terrific wind off the lake tore at him, but he walked into it head up, unheedful of the sting it brought as it whipped his cheeks and lashed at his eyes. In the saloon he sank down in a chair at a small table and called for a bottle.

He drank moodily, refusing to be drawn into conversation by acquaintances that stopped from time to time to say hello. He tried to weigh what Joe Craig had written to him, tried—he told himself—to be fair. But he was unable to rid himself of the feeling that an injustice had been done him. More than ever he felt like an outcast—he had been injured unnecessarily—Rita, granting what Craig said was true, had kissed him out of charity, or pity, and he wanted neither.

His sense of injury mounted as the contents of the bottle in front of him dwindled. He saw himself again on the little starlit hill with Rita in his arms, his lips pressed against hers; once more felt her slip out of his embrace and heard her whisper the words that had sent his hopes crashing. . . . Like being permitted a brief glimpse of Paradise and then having the door slammed in his face.

No matter how sorry he felt for Rita, that was one thing he could not forgive. That as something even Joe Craig, wise as he might think himself, did not know about. . . Joe Craig. . . Hah! . . .

His brain felt clouded, inflamed, and he poured himself another drink. Try to be rational about this thing. . . . He stirred uneasily, made an impatient gesture with his hand. Then with a curse he sent the bottle crashing to the floor in an angry sweep of his arm, his head fell forward and he slept.

He awoke the next morning in his own room and without remorse. Since coming to Chicago he had spent many evenings in just such a manner. His tongue felt thick but he was clear-headed. A cup of hot coffee, black, a run for his street car and then another day of work. Unloading freight all day long. It was heavy work, monotonous, drab—but what else was there in Chicago? He had merely loafed at first, spending most of his waking hours gambling until he had utterly wearied of it. He had at last found something that sapped him of his restlessness; there was a cruel joy in making his muscles ache and returning to his room each evening weary and sore, his body fatigued beyond the fatigue of his mind.

(To Be Continued.)

Tony Harrison joins Pawnee Bill's show. In Washington there is a disastrous adventure. Read the next installment.

OUT OUR WAY. By Williams

ARE YOU LISSENIN FROWZY? WELL—THIS GOO-GOO MAKES A SWIPE AT ME WITH A BOLO—KNOW WHAT A BOLO IS FROWZY? IT'S A YOUNG CLEAVER. WELL, I YANKS OUT MY TOAD STICKER—Y'KNOW FROWSY—A SABER—WELL I—ARE YOU LISSENIN' FROWSY?
CAN I HELP IT BECAUSE IVE GOT A BROTHER AND THEY GIVE HIM FURLOUGHS OR BECAUSE HE CALLS ME FROWSY? CAN I THROW HIM OUT, MY OWN BROTHER?
NO—BUT YOU CAN TAKE HIM OUT FOR A WALK—ANYTHING. B-2-B-2 CHILDREN HEARING SUCH TALES—B-2-2-? FROWZY—HMMP! GET HIM OUT!
GOLDEN DAYS "THE FAVORITE UNCLE."
J.R.WILL
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## Cow Costing $55 Pays $285 Profit in Year

Springfield, Mo.—Dairy extension workers here are using an experience of J. A. Gibson, Springfield dairyman, to illustrate the value of cow testing.

About a year ago Gibson purchased an ordinary looking cow from one of his neighbors, paying $55. The cow had no test record. Gibson put her on test with this result:

Milk sold at retail—14 cents a quart—from this cow in 334 days amounted to exactly $415.74. Her feed bill in that time was $75.23. Thus she paid owner back his investment and feed bill and a net profit of $285.51.

Mr. Gibson and his son have a herd of seventy-five cows and one of the best equipped dairy plants in South Missouri. Mr. Gibson says his $55 cow is the best in his herd.

## Daviess County Farm Body Backs W. R. Hirth

The board of directors of the Daviess County Farmers' association has gone on record with a strong endorsement of W. R. Hirth of Columbia, and demanded the resignation at once of several members of the state executive committee and the election of a board that will work in harmony with Mr. Hirth.

H. E. Young, Guilford, was in Maryville yesterday.

Mrs. Andy Hutchison, Hopkins, was here yesterday morning.

## Meat Essay Contest for High School Girls Again to Be Held

Knowledge of cookery, food values, selection as to quality, or other phases of the subject of meat may bring local high school girls within reach of a university scholarship or cash award.

High school home economics teachers have received announcement of the Fifth National Meat Story contest. The contest is held annually in high schools of the United States under the sponsorship of the National Live Stock and Meat Board. It has the indorsement of college home economics heads and other leaders in the field who look upon it as a valuable educational project.

One of the prizes was won last year by Emma Mae Yeo, student in Maryville High School, who was first in one of the four districts into which the United States is divided and received $40 in cash and a $150 scholarship.

Last year approximately 14,000 girls from high schools in every state of the union competed and the board expects that even a larger number will be enrolled in the present contest. As in the past, the distribution of prizes is arranged so that girls in every state will be among the winners. Miss Rose Gertrude Schmidt of Moorestown, N. J., won the national championship last year.

The present contest will close on March 15. Judging of the stories will be in the hands of a committee which is to be selected from college directors of home economics and other authorities on the subject.

It is explained that the purpose of the contest is to stimulate more interest in the study of home economics. The scholarships offered are for home economics courses.

C. H. Coe of Albuquerque, N. M., arrived in Maryville last night for a few day's business visit here.

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**Headache?**

Instead of dangerous heart depressants take safe, mild and purely vegetable NATURE'S REMEDY and get rid of the bowel poisons that cause the trouble. Nothing like NR for biliousness, sick headaches, and constipation. Acts pleasantly. Never gripes. Only 25c.

Make the test tonight—

NR TO-NIGHT TOMORROW ALRIGHT

Recommended and Sold by All 4 Maryville Druggists.

**Hill's Knocks COLDS**

—in one day, HILL'S Cascara-Bromide-Quinine tablets knock a cold. Leave you feeling fine. Look for red box. 30c. All druggists.

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**CATARRH** of head or throat is usually benefited by the vapors of—

**VICKS VAPORUB**

Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly

**Heat of Red Peppers Ends Neuritis**

Neuritis, rheumatism, lumbago, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, strains sprains, aching joints. When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers, and when heat penetrates right down into pain and congestion relief comes at once.

Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes the sore spot is warmed through and through and the torture is gone.

Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on every package.

**NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH**

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

## Caulfield Calls on Kansas City Chiefs

St. Louis G. O. P. Choice for Governor Doubts Prohibition's Value But Favors Enforcement.

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Declaring with a smile "I am here to let you look me over," Henry S. Caulfield, choice of St. Louis Republicans for the gubernatorial nomination, arrived in Kansas City to receive the plaudits of party leaders here.

Judge Caulfield alighted from a train at union station this morning and was taken in tow by several Kansas City Republican leaders. His emphatic assertion that he is not a politician was discounted somewhat by his ready smile and willingness to proffer his hand to all who cared to return the salute.

While questioning the efficacy of the prohibition act as an approach to temperance, Judge Caulfield was unhesitant in declaring himself in favor of law enforcement.

"I have never considered national prohibition as the best approach to temperance," he said, "but I have the greatest reverence for law enforcement. I think my record will bear out my assertion I am a law enforcer. I enforced the law as excise commissioner of St. Louis from 1909 to 1911. I told saloon keepers that I might not make the laws, but I proposed to enforce them to the letter, and I did."

He declined to discuss any of the potential Republican candidates for president but was not so wary where the Democrats were concerned. Of Al Smith, he said:

"We are not worrying about Smith in St. Louis. When you stop to analyze the gossip about his popularity, you can't find anyone who comes out openly for him, at least, none of the party leaders."

Read the Want Ads.

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**New Face Powder Popular**

MELLO-GLO is a wonderful new shade—youth color. Perspiration hardly affects it and it will not leave the skin dry and drawn. Try this new French Process Face Powder and enjoy its marvelous beautifying qualities. Sticks well, stays on longer and does not clog the pores. You will surely love MELLO-GLO.—Maryville Drug Co.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine tablets

The First and Original Cold and Grip Tablet

Proven Safe for more than a Quarter of a Century as an effective remedy for COLDS, GRIP, INFLUENZA and as a Preventive. Price 30c.

The box bears this signature E. W. Grove

—Proven Merit since 1889—

ADVERTISEMENT ADVERTISEMENT

**Glorious Relief From Rheumatic Aches and Pains**

Gaugh & Evans Invites Every Sufferer In—To Try Remarkable Remedy On Money Back Plan.

Think of possessing a body that knows no ache or pain—a body whose usefulness has been restored—a body strong, active and vigorous! Seems too good to be true, doesn't it?—Yet

If Allenrhu that wonder working formula that has freed thousands of others (some in far worse shape than you) from the terrible agony of rheumatism does not make every twinge leave you in 10 days Gaugh & Evans wants you to come back and get your money.

All good druggists everywhere highly recommend Allenrhu because no matter how long standing or how stubborn your case may be, it starts to help you almost at once. Usually the pain itself begins to disappear within 24 to 36 hours and at the end of five days, you'll have forgotten you ever were a victim of this awful ailment.

Why continue to be in misery—why lose your youth and usefulness under the torture of rheumatism? Start right in today to take Allenrhu. Take it as directed until the agony is gone and it must go in five days or money back.

## PUBLIC SALE

As I have decided to quit farming, I will sell the following property at the Fred Haller farm, half mile south and one and one-half miles west of Wilcox on

**Monday, February 6, 1928**

11:00 a. m.

**HORSES**—12 head of horses; team geldings, 8 and 9 years old, weight about 3200; black mare, 8 years old, weight 1600; bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1400; black mare, 4 years old, weight 1600; black horse, 3 years old, weight 1600; yearling horse colt; bay mare, smooth month, weight 1300; grey team, smooth mouth horses, weight 3000; black team horses, 8 and 9 years old, weight 2700.

cultivator; 3 sets harness; 1 wagon; 2 sets work harness; 1

**HOGS**—Two brood sows, to farrow first of May and 6 fall shoats; 1 Hampshire boar.

**SHEEP**—Six head of native ewes, to lamb in March and one native buck.

**GRAIN**—1500 bushels of corn in crib, 8 tons of good alfalfa hay, 6 tons of good timothy hay, 150 bushels oats.

**IMPLEMENTS**—2 wagons; 1 wagon and rack; 1 John Deere high wagon and box; 1 wagon box; 1 John Deere trench-guide lister, new; 1 P. & O. gang plow; one 2-row Bailor cultivator; 1 International single row cultivator; Avery disc; one 2-section harrow; one 14-inch plow; 1 Oliver 12-inch gang plow; 1 New Century 6-shovel cultivator; 1 Busy Bee 6-shovel cream separator and other things too numerous to mention.

**TERMS**—Cash or see your banker.

**CLARK LAMBERT**

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. Gus Shell, Clerk.

Lunch by Wilcox Rebekahs.

## CLOSING OUT SALE

As I have decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Frazee farm, 2 miles north of the State Teachers College on

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1928**

beginning at 1 o'clock sharp, the following described property:

**4 HEAD OF HORSES**—1 pair of black mares coming 9 and 10 years old, weighing 1400; 1 gray mare, smooth mouth, weighing 1200; 1 Shetland pony, coming 8 years old.

**4 HEAD OF GOOD MILK COWS.**

**GRAIN**—400 or 500 bushels of good yellow corn in crib.

**FARM IMPLEMENTS**—1 new combined John Deere riding lister; one 2-row go-devil; one 16-16 disc; 1 McCormick mowing machine; 1 hay rake; 1 John Deere wagon; 2 sets of good work harness; 1 Queen incubator, 400-egg size, good as new; 1 Old Trusty incubator, 100-egg size. Other things too numerous to mention.

4 dozen Rhode Island pullets; 4 dozen Barred Rock pullets; a few White Leghorns; 1000 Sol Hot brooder.

TERMS—Cash.

**MRS. H. M. WALTER**

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. Gus Shell, Clerk.

**HOSMER'S STOCK SALE**

NEW SALE PAVILION

Maryville, Saturday, Feb. 4, 1928

Open for the sale of YOUR Live Stock.

What do you want to sell? At your service.

R. P. Hosmer "The Auctioneer"

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Misclassification is not permitted.

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Want ad users should read their advertisements when they first appear and report any errors at once, as no allowance will be made for errors or misclassification after the first day.

All orders from outside of Maryville must be accompanied by cash.

For further information, contract rates on Want Ads, etc., address:
The Advertising Department,
The Democrat-Forum and Tribune,
Maryville, Missouri.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

CARD OF THANKS

WE WISH to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our wife and mother. Also the beautiful floral offerings.—Logan Phipps and Family.

LOST 10

LOST—white gold bar pin, Sunday afternoon, between Residence Hall and downtown district.—Return to this office. Reward.

LOST—Seven jewell Wrist Waten, register number 2,293,292. Reward.—Ruth Jensen.

LOST—Pair fur-lined gloves left at Post Office.—Return this office.

## AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 19

FOR SALE—1924 Ford Coupe, five new tires, motor extra good, price $125.—Perry Antrim, Parnell.

FOR SALE—International Truck. Good running order. Will trade for stock. Milan Floyd, Bedison phone.

CHEVROLET

Deliveries on—

NEW CHEVROLET CARS

have brought in a nice assortment of

USED CARS

We have some late model Chevrolet

COUPES
COACHES
SEDANS
TOURINGS

Also several other makes of cars in different models. Priced from $15.00 up.

Terms We Trade
Open Evenings

See Fred C. Newlon

McDonnell Chevrolet Co.

114 West Second Street

Automobiles For Sale.

FOR SALE—Wrecking-Dodge Roadster, used parts, and three good 33x4 tires.—Benson, Barnard, Mo.

1926—

Star Touring

CAMPBELL MOTOR COMPANY
L. L. Clary, Mgr.
408 North Buchanan

To make room for trade-ins on the—

New Victory Six

1—1925 Dodge Sedan.
1—1926 Ford Roadster
1—1927 Ford Coupe.
1—1927 Dodge-Graham ton-and-a-half truck.

ARNOLD-STRONG Motor Co.

Reconditioned

Used Cars

3—Ford Coupes, late models, A-1 Condition.
3—Ford Tourings, Motors good, rubber good.
1—Buick Touring, mechanically good.
1—Buick Roadster, motor good, good rubber.
1—Dodge Touring, new battery, new top and curtains, good condition throughout.
1—Overland 4 door Sedan, motor perfect.
1—Ford Truck, closed in delivery body, almost new tires, fine condition.

SEWELL AUTO COMPANY
Willys-Knights — Whippets

AUTO ACCESSORIES 15

AUTOMOBILE

Glass Work

We have machines to Grind and Polish Auto Glass for Windshields or Doors of Automobiles.

Will be glad to do your replacement work.

HENRY FOSTER & SONS
Hanamo 4056

## BUSINESS SERVICE

ICE, COAL, WOOD, ETC. 20

Shoemaker-Bovard

Headquarters for good quality coal. We want your business.

Car high grade Illinois lump—

Coal

—just arrived,
$7.50 to $8.00 ton.
WM. EVERHART

## EMPLOYMENT

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 28

WANTED—Housework by young girl. Write L. R., General Delivery, Burlington Junction.

## FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN on city property. Can make large loans in the Farm and Home Savings and Loan Association. August 31, 1927 statement, $41,202,450.98.—See E. F. Wolfert.

## LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

PRATTS POULTRY REGULATOR—Helps make hens lay—keeps them healthy, too.—Sold only by The Koch Pharmacy.

FOR SALE—Pedigreed certified single comb Rhode Island Red cockerels, also Whites.—J. Ward Stevenson, Graham.

FOR SALE—Extra good White Wyandotte cockerels, Martin strain.—Call Mrs. H. M. Crave, Clearmont.

MISSOURI ACCREDITED CHICKS
Rocks, Reds, Orpingtons, and Wyandottes $13 per 100. Leghorns $11 per 100.
Custom Hatching
GRAY'S HATCHERY
402 East Sixth Street
Hanamo 4579 Farmers 357

FOR SALE—Purebred Single Comb White Leghorn eggs. D. Tancred strain. $5.00 per hundred. — Write or phone Mrs. Harry K. Bunney, Skidmore, Mo.

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

MULES WANTED—Bring them in or phone me. I will call and see them.—Jim Andy Ford.

FOR SALE—Purebred Jersey bull eight and half months old.—W. L. Carpenter, Burlington Junction.

FOR SALE—One Guernsey thoroughbred yearling bull, $75 if taken soon. R. L. Rice, 1½ miles east of Pickering.

PETS, ETC. 35

FOR SALE—German Police dog pups. Clayton W. Allen, Albany, Missouri.

## MERCHANDISE

ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

FOR SALE—Barn Timothy Hay; team four year horse, broke sound, weight 2600.—W. O. Saunders, Pickering.

MURRAY'S FRUIT TREES for those who care. Plant dependable stock. Write for price list. No agents.—Geo. R. Murray, Prop., Oregon, Mo.

FOR SALE—600 bushels of corn. Three miles southwest of Maryville on pavement.—Call C. W. Shinabarger, Hanamo 552F.

FEEDS, GRAINS 37A

FOR SALE—Baled timothy hay.—Mrs. E. J. Williams, 333 East Third, Hanamo 227.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 37B

FOR SALE—Bush and Lane Upright Piano; good condition.—Call Hanamo 516, Farmers 1.

FOR SALE—Oak dresser.—Call Hanamo 4724.

This Week Only
ALL COTTON MATTRESSES
$8.00
O. K.
FURNITURE EXCHANGE
Han. 530—207 North Main—Far. 340

FOR SALE—Glass book case, bed, feather bed, 8-foot table, stand table, dresser, heavy rope and block, also hog oiler.—Mrs. Anna Marsh, Route 3, Maryville.

## RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

APARTMENTS AND FLATS 39

SOLID COMFORT—Furnished apartments now ready.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—Modern light housekeeping apartments, 518 East First Street. Farmers 301-15.

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

For Rent

85 acres. Full line of farm machinery to sell to renter or interested party.

For Sale

2 horses, 2 head of cows, 9 head of hogs.

A. P. McKILLY PLACE
1¾ miles southwest Clate Carr, 2 miles north and 1 mile west of Arkoe.

FOR RENT—150 acre farm.—Inquire at 127 South Buchanan.

FOR RENT—Good 240 acre farm two miles southwest Burlington Junction. Call Knox Alexander, Burlington Junction.

FARMS, LAND FOR SALE 46

FOR SALE, EXCHANGE, or RENT—A few choice Nodaway County farms. See Allen Bros.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE—6-room house, modern. Going to move to another state. Call at residence.—301 East Third St.

FOR SALE—Unmortagaged farm, 7½ miles Burlington Junction.—Mrs. B. Allfree, Box 154, Newton, Iowa.

FOR SALE—8-room brick house, 16 lots at Nebraska City, Nebraska. Ideal location for truck garden or chicken farm. $5000.00.—Inquire Great Western Clothing Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT—5-room brick house, full basement with furnace.—C. L. Hess, Route 5, Maryville.

For Sale

5-room cottage, close in, on paved street, modern except heat, $3200.
7-room cottage, northwest part of town, fine lot and location, paved street, $4750.
6-room new all modern cottage, $4600.
6-room cottage, easy terms, $2400.
Big bargain in store building, real investment, good rent.
Fine improved acre tract, modern house, close in, 3½ acres.

YEO BROTHERS

FOR SALE—5-room modern cottage, 515 South Buchanan. Large rooms, nice closet off both bedrooms, garage in basement. Priced to sell.—Fred C. Newlon, Hanamo 30FX.

FOR SALE—4-room house and two lots, Emma Wulf, 1210 West Thomas Ave., Shenandoah, Iowa.

Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass went to St. Joseph this morning where she will visit her sister.

## Harmony High School to Give Play Feb. 10

"Barbara Makes a Splash" to Be Presented for Benefit of Fund to Buy Movie Machine.

The Harmony High School will give a play at the school building on February 10. The proceeds from the play will be applied toward the purchase of a moving picture projector for the Harmony community. The projector will be used in the high school building for showing educational reels and slides.

The play chosen for presentation is "Barbara Makes a Splash." The cast of characters:

Barbara, Ogle McKee.
Marjie Rennsler, Jean Neal.
Nonie Galloway, Lucile Lawson.
Evelyn Foster, LaVada Strader.
Jimmy Westcott, Doyle Grimit.
Charlie Denton, Richard Heflin.
Mr. Harris, Leon Brown.
Horace Townsend, Orville Wray.

The Rainbow chorus girls will make their appearance between acts.

## Lindbergh Back on American Territory

Population of Virgin Islands, Though Small, Unites to Do Him Honor.

St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, Feb. 1.—Back on United States territory, Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was a guest today at the residence of Governor Waldo Evans while the entire, if small, population of the island united to do him honor.

Streets here in St. Thomas—formerly called Charlotte Amalia—were decorated gaily today in Lindbergh's honor, and the flying ambassador was cheered heartily whenever he appeared.

Native girls presented the smiling aviator with a wreath of flowers.

The flying good will ambassador made a typical Lindbergh flight here from Maracay, Venezuela, yesterday, covering the more than 1,000 miles of airway in scheduled flying time. He dropped down out of a clouded sky just before dusk to receive the acclaim of thousands.

Lindbergh's flight was remarkable in its precision. It was the longest flight he made since leaving Mexico City and it was made at a swift flying schedule, as the American aviator wanted to bring his "Spirit of St. Louis" down onto the flying field here before darkness.

His plans called for a rest here today and then a flight to Porto Rico Thursday. From Porto Rico he subsequently will visit Santo Domingo and Haiti and then will wind up his good will tour at Havana.

## Sen. David A. Reed Seeks Re-Election

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator Davis A. Reed of Pennsylvania has announced his candidacy for re-election. He said today he would file soon for the primary election to be held April 24. So far he is without opposition.

Reed is Pennsylvania's only acting senator, Senator-elect Vare having been denied the oath of office pending inquiry into his campaign expenditures. Reed is an administration Republican. He is a close friend of and attorney for Secretary of Treasury Mellon.

## Chicago-Kansas City Air Service Starts

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Day air passenger service between Chicago and Kansas City was inaugurated at 8:45 a. m. today when Pilot J. M. Barnes hopped off from the airmail field here, carrying as a passenger E. W. Gardner, Chicago. The start was delayed more than an hour because the plane which also carried air mail, had to wait for a delayed plane from New York.

B. A. Frost made a business trip to Kansas City yesterday.

### To Monument Convention.

J. P. Leuck left this morning for Sedalia, where he will attend a monument dealers convention which will be held there tomorrow and Friday. He will return Saturday.

## Sees Hoover Victory on the First Ballot

John T. Adams Predicts He Will Get Part of Iowa Delegates.—Won't Quit Cabinet.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Following a conference today with President Coolidge, John T. Adams of Iowa, chairman of the Republican National committee in 1920, predicted that Secretary of Commerce Hoover would be nominated for President on the first ballot at the Republican convention at Kansas City next June.

Adams declared Hoover would have the support of at least half of Iowa's delegates, though Hoover supporters have shown little activity in that state.

Friends of Secretary Hoover reiterated authoritatively today that he has no intention of relinquishing his post in the Coolidge cabinet, and intends to "stay on the job."

Washington, Feb. 1.—The ten California Republicans in the House last night endorsed Secretary of Commerce Hoover for the presidential nomination.

They adopted a resolution "unanimously and unreservedly" supporting Hoover.

"Although a native of Iowa, the secretary has been continuously a resident of California for more than 35 years," the resolution said. "We are glad therefore to propose his name.

"Because of his well-known achievement as an engineer, as a statesman, and as a humanitarian; because of his character as a man, and because we believe he will make a great President, we hereby pledge him our heartiest support."

## Curtis Supporters in Oklahoma Will Meet

Oklahoma City, Feb. 1.—About fifty Oklahoma Republicans will meet here Thursday afternoon to map the pre-convention campaign in Oklahoma of Senator Charles Curtis, Kansas, for the Republican presidential nomination.

C. V. Moore, Purcell, Okla., Curtis supporter, announced the Curtis meeting here today. He said he had just returned from a trip over the state and claimed a "strong sentiment for the Kansas Senator."

### Headquarters in New York.

New York, Feb. 1.—John J. Curry, Republican leader in New York's 15th congressional district, announced that he soon would open state headquarters here to further the candidacy of Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas.

## Lowden Papers to Be Filed in Illinois

Washington, Feb. 1.—Nomination papers of Frank O. Lowden will be filed next Saturday for the primary election in Illinois, Clarence F. Buck of Chicago, announced today.

Buck, who is managing Lowden's campaign for the Republican presidential nomination, said strong eastern support was appearing for his candidate. He did not refer to New York reports concerning the closing of a Lowden office there.

### Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—Eggs, 38; selected, 40; butter, 49; hens, 21; broilers, 31; turkeys young toms, 33; ducks, 18; geese, 14.

### Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Butter receipts 4,785; extras, 46c; extra firsts, 44½c to 45c; firsts, 41½c to 43c; seconds, 38c to 40½c; standards, 35¾c.

Eggs receipts 10,158; firsts, 33½c to 34½c; ordinaries, 30c to 32c; seconds, 30c to 31c.

Cheese: Twins, 26c; young Americas, 27¾c.

Poultry receipts 3 cars. Fowls, heavy, 25½c; small, 23½c; springs, 27c; ducks, heavy, 25c; small, 20c; geese, 20c; turkeys, 25c to 26c; roosters, 18c.

Potatoes, arrivals, 46; on track, 184; in transit, 770. Wisconsin sacked Round Whites, $1.50 to $1.65; Idaho sacked Russets, Burbanks, No. 1, $1.60 to $1.75; new Florida supplies exhausted; demand good; sweet potatoes, $1 to $2.65.

# DAILY MARKET REPORT

### ST. JOSEPH LIVESTOCK.

South St. Joseph, Feb. 1.—Hogs, 11,000; market active, mostly steady; top, $8.25; bulk 160 to 250 pounds, $8 to $8.15; bulk, 250 to 320 pounds, $7.90 to $8.

Cattle 2,200; calves, 300; beef steers and yearlings slow and steady to easy; early sales, $11.40 to $14; fat she stock steady to strong; vealers strong to 50c higher; top, $13; stockers and feeders, uneven; better grades steady, others slow.

Sheep 6,500; fat lambs steady to strong; choice 86 to 89 pound fed wooled westerns, $14.25; fat ewes strong to 25c higher, top, $8.25.

### KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Hogs, 10,000; market uneven, steady to 10 cents up, light weights up most; top, $8.25 on 160 to 200 pounds, 250-350, $7.75 to $8.05; 200-250, $7.90 to $8.25; 160-200, $7.95 to $8.25; 150-160, $7.85 to $8.25; 90-130, $7 to $7.50.

Packing sows, $6.50 to $7.40.

Cattle 6,000; calves 800; market fed steers slow, weak; fed heifers weak to 25c lower; others little change. Beef steers, $11.25 to $14.50; light yearling steers and heifers, $9 to $11.50; beef cows, $7 to $9; low cutters, cutter cows, $5 to $6.50; vealers, $10 to $13.50; heavy calves, $8.50 to $10.50; bulk stockers, feeders, $9.50 to $12.

Sheep 6,000; market lambs strong to 10 cents higher; sheep steady. Top fat lambs, $14.35; bulk fat lambs, $13.75 to $14.25.

### OMAHA LIVESTOCK.

Omaha, Feb. 1.—Cattle 6,000; market slow, weak to lower; yearlings $10.00 to $15.00; steers $10.50 to $17.25; cows and heifers, $5.25 to $12.50; stockers and feeders, $8.00 to $13.50; calves 7.00 to $13.00; bulls and stags, $7.50 to $9.50; rangers blank.

Hogs 24,000; market fully steady; bulk of sales $7.85 to $8.10; top, $8.10.

Sheep 11,000; fat lambs 25c higher; feeders, 50c up, sheep firm; yearlings $9.50 to $11.50; feeder lambs, $11.50 to $14.25; fat lambs $11.00 to $14.15; ewes $5.00 to 7.75.

### EAST ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

East St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Hogs 19,500; holdovers 2,619; market dull and weak. 250-350, $8.00 to $8.35; 200-250, $8.20 to $8.50; 160-200 $8.35 to $8.60; 150-160, $7.25 to $8.55; 90-130, $6.00 to $7.75; packing sows $6.75 to $7.40.

Cattle 3,500; calves 1,500; market steers slow steady to weak. Beef steers $10.50 to $13.25; light yearlings steers and heifers $8.50 to $12.00; beef cows $7.25 to $9.00; low cutters, cutter cows, $5.25 to $6.25; vealers $16.75 heavy calves $7.50 to $10.50; bulk stockers, feeders $8.00 to $10.50.

Sheep 1,500; market tending higher; Top fat lambs $14.50; bulk fat lambs $14.00 to $10.40; bulk cull lambs $10. to $10.50; bulk fat ewes $6.50 to $7.25.

### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

By Department of Agriculture

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Cattle 9,000; fed steers slow, steady to weak, bidding lower on lower grade light offerings. Light kinds predominating; steady to strong on she stock; light heifers, and mixed yearlings getting fairly good action; bulls in line with week's 20 cent decline.

Steers, 50c to 75c higher, not many steers of value to sell above $15; bulk, $13 to $15; light cutter cows, $5.50 to $5.75; practical top heavy sausage bulls, $8; outstanding heavy offerings, $8.35; light vealers, $14 to $14.50; all interests buying shipper kinds up to $16.

Sheep, 11,000; fat lambs active mostly 25c higher; spots, 35c up; bulk good to choice 79 to 88 pound lambs, $14.50 to $14.75; choice medium weights, $14.-85; best held higher; good 88 to 91 pound Nebraskas, $14 to $14.15; little available below $14; yearlings largely $13; sheep strong; good fat ewes, $8 to $8.25; feeding lambs, 25c to 35c up; better grades, $13.75 to $14.40; scattering downward to $13.25.

Hogs, 24,000; slow, general market 10c to 15c lower; light lights 15c to 25c lower; pigs, 25c to 40c down; top, $8.45; early. Bulk good and choice hogs of 170 to 210 pounds, $8.25 to $8.40; 220 to 310 pounds, $8.10 to $8.30; light lights in very narrow demand; bulk, $7.85 to $8.25; most pigs, $7 to $7.25; best strong weights, $7.50 to $7.65; few packing sows, $7.10 to $7.35.

### Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Feb. 1. — Wheat 87; market—hard unchanged to ½ higher. Red No. 2 hard $1.23½ to $1.68; No. 3 hard $1.22 to $1.67; No. 2 red $1.43 to $1.48; No. 3 red $1.35 to 1.45.

Corn, 193; ½ lower to ½ higher. No. 2 mixed 81 to 82; No. 3 mixed 79½ to 81½; No. 2 yellow 83 to 83½; No. 2 white 81 to 82.

Oats 9; market unchanged; No. 2 white nominal 56¼ to 58½; No. 2 43, nominal blank.

Rye: No. 2 nominal 1.02; barley: No. 3 nominal 83 to 86; kafir: No. 2 nominal $1.34 to $1.36; No. 3 nominal $1.33 to $1.35; No. 4 nominal $1.32 to $1.34; milo: No. 2 nominal $1.49 to $1.51; No. 3 nominal $1.48 to $1.50; No. 4 nominal 1.46 to $1.48; prairie: No. 1 $9.50 to $11.00; alfalfa, choice $21 to $23.50; timothy: No. 1 $11.50 to $12.00.

Eggs, 38; selected, 40. Butter, 49; hens, 21; broilers, 31; turkeys, young toms, 33; ducks 18; geese, 14.

### St. Louis Cash Grain.

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Wheat: 2 red, $1.54 to $1.55; 3 red, $1.45 to $1.52; 1 hard, $1.34; 2 hard, $1.33 to $1.34; 3 hard, $1.31; 4 hard, $1.30.

Corn: 2 white, 87½c; 3 white, 85½c to 86c; 4 white, 84½c.

Oats: 3 white, 56c to 57c.

### CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE.

| | Open | High | Low | Close | Yest. |
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| Wheat— | | | | | |
| Mar. | 1.29⅝ | 1.30⅝ | 1.29⅜ | 1.30⅜ | 1.29⅜ |
| May | 1.30 | 1.31⅜ | 1.30 | 1.31 | 1.30¼ |
| July | 1.27¼ | 1.28⅜ | 1.26⅞ | 1.28⅛ | 1.27⅛ |
| CORN— | | | | | |
| Mar. | .88½ | .89⅝ | .88⅜ | .89¼ | .88½ |
| May | .91¼ | .92⅛ | .91 | .91⅜ | .91¼ |
| July | .92½ | .93⅝ | .92⅜ | .93⅛ | .92⅞ |
| OATS— | | | | | |
| Mar. | .54½ | .54⅞ | .54½ | .54⅞ | .54⅜ |
| May | .55½ | .55⅞ | .55½ | .55⅝ | .55½ |
| July | .51½ | .51⅞ | .51½ | .51⅞ | .51½ |
| LARD— | | | | | |
| Feb. | Nominal | | | 11.45 | 11.55 |
| May | 11.80 | 11.82 | 11.77 | 11.82 | 11.82 |
| July | 12.00 | 12.10 | 12.00 | 12.07 | 12.05 |
| RIBS— | | | | | |
| Feb. | Nominal | | | 11.45 | 11.15 |

### Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.31½.

Corn: 3 yellow, 89c; 4 yellow, 86c to 88c; 5 yellow, 82½c to 85c; 6 yellow, 76c to 82c; 4 mixed, 85c; 5 mixed, 82c; 6 mixed, 75½c; 4 white, 85c; 5 white, 81c to 82c; 6 white, 74½c to 79½c; sample grade, 64c to 79c.

Oats: 2 white, 56c to 58c; 3 white, 54½c to 56¾c; 4 white, 56¾c.

Rye: None.

Barley: 87c to 95c.

Timothy: $3.10 to $3.85.

Clover: $21.25 to $29.

### Final Grain Review.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—All grains were dull but slightly stronger. More unfavorable news from the southwest winter wheat fields boosted prices in that grain and corn and oats rallied largely on reflected strength. Trading was light in all pits.

During the last hour corn gained rapidly with wheat and finished with large fractional advances. Oats remained strong but failed to gain more than a small fraction. Final figures: Wheat up ½c to 1c; corn, ¼c to ¾c higher; oats, up ⅛c to ⅜c.

Provisions closed about unchanged.

The southwest continues to report damage to winter wheat fields from cold dry weather and lack of moisture. The belief is prevalent among the trade that unless moisture comes soon large areas of the crop will have to be abandoned. This news was the chief bullish factor in wheat. Offerings were light and buying was ready. Small export business helped the upturn. Receipts here were 11 cars and the cash market held unchanged.

Corn was very quiet all day with no news to prompt a decided change. Small export sales were reported which helped the tone. Most of the advance, however, was on wheat's strength. Fundamental conditions remained bullish. Belt weather turned cold over night, making conditions more favorable for the country movement. Receipts here today, however, were comparatively small at 390 cars. The cash market was steady to ½c higher.

Oats was dull and without feature. Fundamentally bullish conditions continue to be disregarded and the market followed other grains. Receipts were 65 cars and cash oats held unchanged.

Provisions held fairly steady in a dull market.

### New York Butter Market.

New York, Feb. 1.—Butter receipts Jan. 31 were 9,048 packages.

Butter is steady and unchanged despite the increase in arrivals and a liberal supply. List unchanged.

Butter steady; receipts 9,048; creamery extras, 48c; special, 48½c to 49c.

Eggs weak, receipts, 18,503; nearby white fancy, 42c to 43c; nearby state whites, 38c to 41c; fresh firsts, 38c to 38½c; western whites, 39c to 42½c; pacific coasts, 38c to 43c; nearby browns, 40c to 43c.

### St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 1.— Eggs, 30½c to 31c; rest unchanged.

### LOCAL MARKET.

| | |
|---|---|
| Eggs, doz. | 28c |
| (Held Eggs 6c less) | |
| Cream, per lb. | 42c |
| Roosters, per lb. | 6c |
| Heavy Hens, per lb. | 18c |
| Light Hens, per lb. | 13c |
| Heavy Springs, per lb. | 16c |
| Leghorn Springs, per lb. | 13c |
| Ducks, per lb. | 14c |
| Hides, per lb. | 12c |

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Doctor's Orders

HELEN IS A VERY SICK LITTLE GIRL - SHE HAS THE FLU, BUT I CAN'T TELL YET HOW SERIOUS IT WILL BE - SHE MUST BE KEPT IN A ROOM BY HERSELF -
THE REST OF YOU MUST MOVE OUT INTO THIS ROOM SO YOU WON'T ALL CATCH IT - NOW I'VE GIVEN YOU ALL SOME MEDICINE - YOU'LL GIVE HELEN HERS EVERY HALF HOUR AS I'VE TOLD YOU -
GEE, DOC - WE'VE GOTTA GET HELEN WELL - YOU JUST TELL ME WHAT TO DO -
JUST GIVE HER THAT MEDICINE - I'LL BE BACK IN THE MORNING - WELL BE ABLE TO TELL MORE THEN -
WHEW! FLU!!! THAT'S AWFUL BAD STUFF, EVEN IF YER IN A HOSPITAL - AN' IN A SHACK LIKE THIS IT'S WORSE - ONE THING I KNOW - I MUSTN'T SAY ANYTHING 'BOUT THIS IN MY LETTERS TO MRS. PEWTER - SHE'D BE SO WORRIED SHE'D NEVER GET WELL -
HAROLD GRAY
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We Thank You

# One Good Turn Deserves Another!

We are celebrating our 33rd Anniversary this month. Realizing that it is only the patronage of the people of this community that has made it possible, we are trying to reciprocate to some extent by holding a gigantic Anniversary Sale wherein we make you a present of a substantial saving on any article in this large Shoe Store.

**Come Daily--Buy Freely--You Save**

# ANNIVERSARY SALE

## Begins THURSDAY MORNING---Ends SATURDAY, FEB. 18

### Bargains for Men!

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| 1 lot of men's Weyenberg Work Shoes, Goodyear welt, $5.00 values | $2.95 |
| 1 lot of men's Work Shoes, solid leather | $2.95 |
| 1 lot of men's Work Shoes, solid leather | $1.95 |
| 1 lot of boys' Outings | $1.69 |
| Men's lace, high cuts, unusual values | $4.95 |
| 1 lot of men's Calf Oxfords, Goodyear welts, up to $5.00 values | $2.95 |
| 1 lot of men's Rubbers, broken lines | 95c |
| Men's 4-buckle Arctics, first grades, all-rubber | $2.95 |
| 1 lot of boys' and youths' 3 and 4-buckle, all rubber Arctics | $2.65 |
| 1 lot of boys' 2-buckle cloth Arctics | 95c |

### Bargains for Women!

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| 1 lot of misses' and ladies' Cotton Hose | 9c |
| 1 lot of ladies' pure silk Hose | 65c |
| Ladies' Peacock Slippers, your choice | $6.95 |
| 1 lot ladies' Slippers, values to $7.00 | $1.95 |
| 1 lot misses' Slippers | $1.45 |
| 1 lot misses' Shoes | $1.95 |
| Ladies' fancy Arctics, your choice | $2.65 |
| 1 lot of ladies' Rubbers, first grade | 65c |
| 1 lot of ladies' Felt Slippers | 75c |
| 1 lot of ladies' Arch Preservers, Oxfords and Straps | $4.95 |

EDMOND
Footfitters

The Edmond Footfitter needs no introduction to you. Hundreds of buyers have come back to us again and again because of the excellent wearing and comfort satisfaction they get out of this shoe. Your Choice during this sale

**$4.95**

No refunds
No approvals
Cash only.

# Sale!

## Children's Shoes and Slippers

Shoes for the children! Yes, indeed, for the infants, small tots, youngsters, and up to grown boys and girls. This store is teeming with good styles and good values, and during this sale you may buy them at

## Unheard Of Prices

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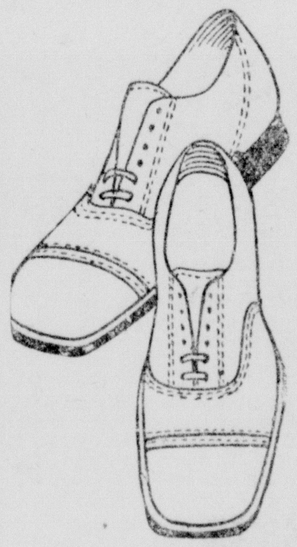
***"The Home of Good Shoes"***

# Shoe Bargains
## for Men and Boys



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| Boys' and Youth's Oxfords, black and tan, good style, Goodyear welt | $2.65 |
| 1 lot Boys' Oxfords, broken lines | $1.95 |
| 1 lot Men's Walk-over Oxfords | $5.95 |
| 1 lot Men's black and brown kid and kangaroo oxfords, Goodyear welts, values $6 and $7 | $4.95 |
| 1 lot of Men's Tan Calf Oxfords, Goodyear welts, good toe, good style | $4.95 |
| 1 lot Men's Marion Oxfords, Goodyear welts, good shapes | $3.95 |
| 1 lot of Men's Carter Shoes, black and brown kid | $2.95 |
| Men's Kangaroo Blucher, nature last, Goodyear welt, valued at $6.00 | $3.95 |
| Men's Wolverine Horsehide Shoes, $4.50 values | $4.15 |
| Men's Ball-Band Work Shoe, Moccasin toe | $3.95 |
| 1 lot of Boys' and Youth's High Cuts | $2.95 |
| 1 lot of Boys' and Youth's Shoes, exceptional values | $1.95 |
| Men's and Boys' Black Tennis Oxfords | 65c |

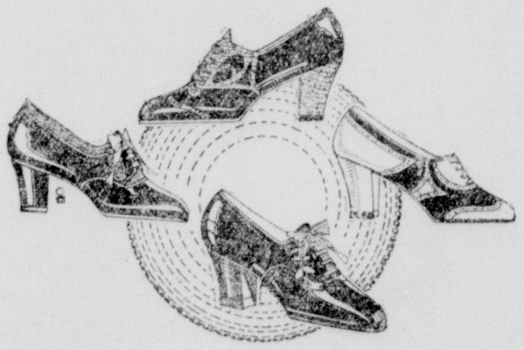
# INFANTS'
## First Steps

This is an unusually large lot of Infants' shoes. Among them are $1.25 values and up to $2.25 values. You mothers will profit greatly by visiting this department early

**98c**

# Unusual Values
## In Footwear for Women

| | |
|---|---|
| 1 lot of Ladies' Straps, Pumps and Oxfords | 98c |
| 1 lot of Ladies' Straps, Pumps and Oxfords | $1.95 |
| 1 lot of Ladies Straps, Pumps and Oxfords | $2.95 |



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| 1 lot of Ladies' Straps, Pumps and Oxfords | $3.95 |
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| 1 lot of Ladies' Cut-Out Arch-Support, Combination Last, $6.00 values | $4.95 |
| 1 lot of Ladies' Grover, one-strap, 2-strap and Lace Oxfords, $5 and $6 values | $1.95 |
| Ladies' Ground-Gripper, Straps and Oxfords, $10 values | $7.95 |
| 1 lot of Ladies' Arnold Glove-Grip, brown kid one-strap, kid covered Military heel, Goodyear welt, $10 value | $6.95 |